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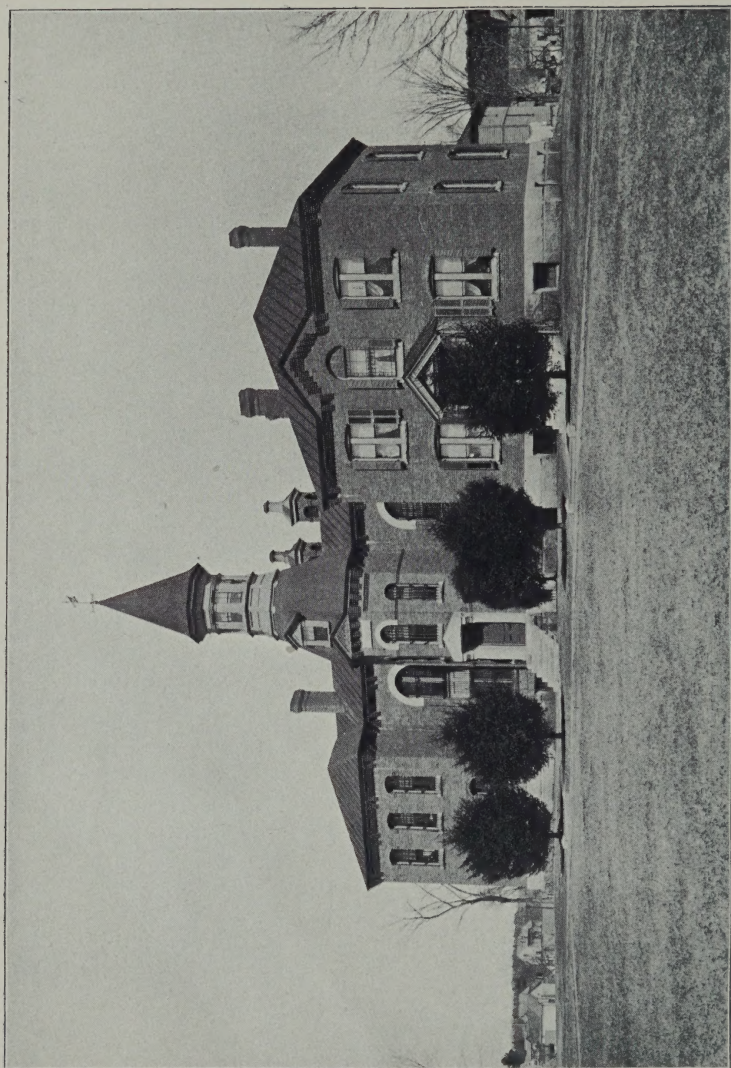
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## COUNTY OFFICERS.

### COMMISSIONERS.

DANIEL R. COLE.....Keene  
FRANK E. NESMITH, to April 1, 1907.....Surry  
HOSEA W. BRIGHAM.....Winchester  
FORREST W. HALL, after April 1, 1907....Westmoreland

### TREASURER.

WALTER R. PORTER, to April 1, 1907.....Keene  
JEROME E. WRIGHT, after April 1, 1907.....Keene

### SOLICITOR.

ORVILLE E. CAIN.....Keene

### SHERIFF.

WILLIAM S. TUTTLE.....Keene

### CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT.

LEWIS W. HOLMES.....Keene

### JUDGE OF PROBATE.

ROBERT A. RAY.....Keene

### REGISTER OF PROBATE.

WILTON H. SPALTER.....Keene

### REGISTER OF DEEDS.

CHARLES C. BUFFUM.....Keene

### AUDITORS.

HERBERT B. VIAL.....Keene

ARTHUR J. HOLDEN.....Keene

### MEDICAL REFEREE.

JOHN D. PROCTOR, M. D.....Keene

### SFALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

VIRGIL A. WRIGHT.....Keene

### SUPERINTENDENT OF FARM.

ASA A. WHITMAN.....Westmoreland

### PHYSICIANS.

CHAS. S. WALKER, M. D.....Keene

DR. JAMES A. CRAIG.....Westmoreland

## COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

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Again the ever busy hands of time have made the annual round, thus reminding us that the year has closed, and with it comes the duty of the commissioners to render a report of their business transactions for the year ending December 31, 1906, together with the reports of the superintendent of farm, jailer, physican, chaplain, auditors, sheriff and treasurer.

The general management of the county farm and house of correction has been as in years past under the able and efficient supervision of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whitman as superintendent and matron, and we feel satisfied that they spare no pains to do all in their power for the welfare, happiness and comfort of the unfortunate as it is possible to do. We feel that their position is a trying one and one that requires more than the ordinary sagacity and foresight. For their interest shown in the management of the farm and the friendly disposition shown us at all times we tender them our sincere thanks.

J. A. Craig, M. D., of Westmoreland has attended to the wants of those at the farm who have needed medical assistance, in a way pleasing to the commissioners, and so far as we know, beneficial to the inmates. C. S. Walker, M. D., of Keene has looked after the outside poor in Keene and vicinity in a painstaking manner. To them we also extend our sincere thanks.

There will be no chaplain's report, owing to the death of Rev. George H. French who had ministered for some years past to the spiritual welfare of the inmates. Mr. French was untiring in his religious instructions. His



pleasant and genial companionship will be greatly missed by the inmates. His was a work well and faithfully done.

The health of the inmates of the county farm, generally speaking has been good. Most of those, who are taken to the farm, are there on account of some mental or physical misfortune, therefore, their general health is much below that of an equal number of the community in general. For at their home before coming to the farm, they did not, nor could they have the care or comforts that they receive at the farm, suffering as many of them have from colds and hunger before consenting to come.

It is true, they cannot have all the comforts of home here, that they might or would have if they had the means to provide for their own wants, but in many cases their comforts are vastly greater than some of them have known for years.

The care and attention shown the sick by the superintendent, matron, assistants and physician is much greater than the credit given them. The conveniences for the care and welfare of the sick are not such as your commissioners would like or desire they should be, and we cannot but feel that there should be a hospital building built, thereby placing the sick in a position where they could be more easily and faithfully cared for, and much to the benefit and advantage of the inmates. We, therefore, suggest and recommend that a building be built for such purpose.

On the ninth day of September, 1906, a fire started from some unknown cause in the unused attic over the cook room, and for a while gave evidences of being a very disastrous one, but owing to the well arranged and equipped facilities for fire protection, and the earnest and faithful work of the employees, convicts and inmates, it was extinguished without great loss. To them for their kindly and friendly assistance, we extend our sincere thanks.

We have bought for the county some four hundred dollars' worth of hose and put on a fire escape to the



large dormitory at the farm, giving better fire protection and making the chance of an escape from the building in case of fire much better.

The insurance paid was four hundred and seventy-five dollars, which nearly or quite covered the loss.

The buildings belonging to the county are in good repair.

During the year we have repaired and refurnished the court room and halls at an expense of some two thousand dollars.

The cost for the support of the inmates at the farm and house of correction is \$2.24 per week. If you should add to this the interest on the plant at five per cent, it would make the cost per week \$2.83. This may seem a large price, but when you take into consideration the general increased costs of all kinds of provisions, and the price of labor, and the heating of the buildings by steam and lighted by electricity, so that they are nice and warm by day or night, and that the buildings are furnished with closets, and that the inmates are furnished with comfortable clothing, physician and nurses, can you well see how it could be furnished at a very much less cost?

We are told in the Holy Writ, that "The poor we have with us always." It was so in long years gone by, and it is so today, and it will be so in the many years to come. The poor are our brothers and sisters, and as such they are entitled to good, humane and kindly treatment, and to be comfortably and warmly clad. We gainsay that no one wants or desires to see them scrimped down so that their happiness and comfort will be taken away, and that their poor and penniless condition will be taken as a crime, and their being sent to the county farm a punishment, and thus save to the county a few paltry dollars.

We do not believe such to be the case, but on the other hand that the general desire is that they shall be economically, well and judiciously cared for, so that the name of going to the county farm will not have that dread, for which it has had in years past.

We cordially invite all persons interested in the cause of humanity for the carrying out of which principles the county farm is designed, to make it a visit and judge for themselves its workings, and ascertain as to the comforts of those who chance to be its inmates.

The commissioners extend their thanks to the ladies of the W. C. T. U. of Keene for their kindly remembrances at Christmas time, and could they but know how highly they were appreciated by the inmates, not only they, but all other like societies would increase their labors to carry on the good and noble work.

The jail has for the past year, as in years past, been under the excellent care and management of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tuttle. We have found the food furnished of good quality and a general cleanliness throughout the whole premises, and they have our sincere thanks.

We also feel that the agents in the several towns have cooperated with the commissioners and are trying to keep their expenditures at a minimum figure. To them and to the employees of the county institutions, we wish to extend our hearty thanks.

DANIEL R. COLE,  
FRANK E. NESMITH,  
HOSEA W. BRIGHAM,  
Commissioners.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

## ORDERS AND RECEIPTS.

Orders drawn on treasurer,	\$41,838 85
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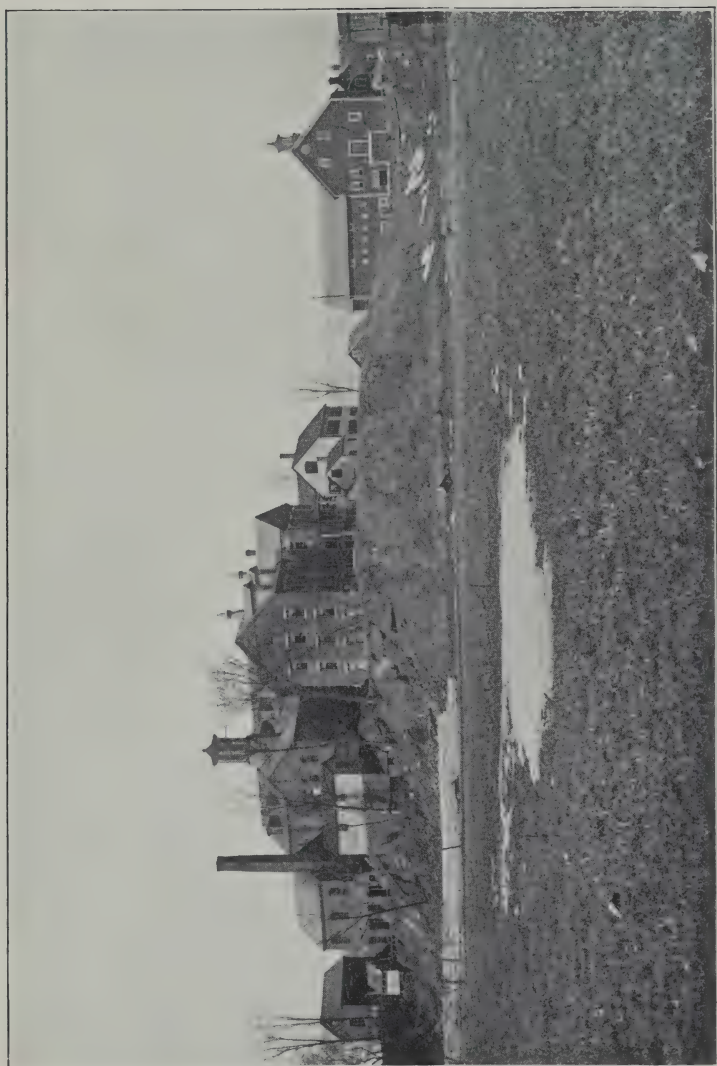
## RECEIPTS.

## COUNTY FARM.

Keene Creamery, cream,	\$39 67
Conveying convicts,	1 00
Pigs,	24 50
One calf,	3 00
Conveying convicts,	1 00
Three shotes,	15 00
Conveying convicts,	1 00
Four shotes,	13 85
Calves,	7 50
Conveying convicts,	3 00
Oscar Ware, shote,	5 00
One pair shoes,	1 50
Six shotes,	26 00
Telephone,	60
Two shotes,	12 00
Junk,	7 00
Keene Creamery,	61 91
Keene Creamery,	64 83
Warren H. Butler, pigs,	9 00
One coat,	1 50
Keene Creamery, cream,	64 92
Conveying convicts,	6 00
F. S. Webster, board of Mrs. Brick,	51 78
S. J. Chickering, cow,	35 00



Use of boar,	\$3 00
Money left by inmates,	1 60
Keene Creamery, March,	67 68
Keene Creamery, April,	79 99
Clothing,	1 50
Calf and pigs,	24 50
Old rags,	8 00
J. H. Stearns, shot,	65 00
Clothing,	5 10
Charles Leach, use of bull,	2 00
Charles Leach, two calves,	3 00
Keene Creamery, May,	62 61
Money left by convicts,	1 17
One calf,	1 25
Use of telephone,	25
J. R. Burt, calf,	2 00
Conveying convicts,	6 00
Clothing,	5 00
Keene Creamery, July,	54 02
Valley Fair, premiums,	20 00
Keene Creamery, June,	52 80
Board, R. Young,	30 00
Keene Creamery, August,	54 79
Fred Pierce, two pigs,	7 00
Use of boar,	3 00
Use of telephone,	15
F. J. Chickering, cow,	45 00
Old rags,	1 16
Keene Creamery, September,	70 22
Town of Westmoreland, labor,	22 00
F. J. Chickering, cow,	40 00
Ten shot,	46 00
Clothing,	75
Allen Barker, two shot,	10 00
Board of Sarah Huntley,	19 00
Keene Creamery, October,	81 19
Board of David Harty,	60 00
F. J. Chickering, three shot,	15 00



ALMSHOUSE AT WESTMORELAND.





Board of inmates,	\$30 00
F. F. Webster, board of E. Brick,	55 00
Four pigs,	12 00
Keene Creamery, November,	68 68
Nims Bros., pork,	80 24
Conveying convicts,	7 00
J. R. Burt, pork,	100 56
Chesterfield, board Florence Bartlett,	31 00
Westmoreland, board of paupers,	75 00
Walpole, board of paupers,	148 60
Standard Oil Co.,	7 00
Westmoreland, board of paupers,	69 75
Hinsdale, board of paupers,	136 50
Frank Holman, board of Mrs. Thomas,	55 70
Rindge, board of paupers,	144 50
Board of Ellen Blake,	65 00
Warren H. Butler, board of Mr. Whipple,	70 00
Board of Nellie Morse,	60 00
Insurance,	475 00
Frank Holman, board of Mrs. Thomas,	118 00
Board of Nellie Morse,	70 00
Chesterfield, board of Florence Bartlett,	30 50
C. G. Dorman, error, .	12 66
Board of Ellen Blake,	65 00
Hinsdale, board of paupers,	138 00
Rindge, board of paupers,	71 50
Warren Butler, board of Mr. Whipple,	69 50
Board of Mr. Seward,	20 00
Fitzwilliam, board of paupers,	91 25
Walpole, board of paupers,	135 25
Rindge, board of paupers,	71 00
Walpole, board of paupers,	140 75
City of Keene, board of paupers,	65 00
Richmond, Shoults goods sold,	41 34
City of Keene, board of paupers,	108 20
Total,	<hr/> \$4,368 21

## EXPENDITURES.

## FARM AND ALMHOUSE.

B. M. Woodward, liniment,	\$6 00
American Express Co.,	5 81
W. G. Reed, straw,	9 84
Farm Machine Co., repairs,	14 35
Ethel Shelley, organist,	4 50
J. M. Childs, seeds,	3 35
F. W. Aldrich, beef,	14 22
Sentinel Printing Co.,	56
R. B. Woodward, salary,	20 00
C. S. Page, salt,	7 00
Vaughans, seeds,	6 10
Carlton G. Dorman, oil,	4 95
N. E. Homestead,	1 00
C. C. Paine, boar,	10 00
F. L. Jarvis, blacksmithing,	25 45
John M. Rogers, beef,	7 30
John R. Burt, beef,	47 90
A. A. Whitman, expenses,	54 14
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whitman, salary,	275 00
B. M. Woodward, salary,	105 00
Mrs. B. M. Woodward, salary,	55 00
N. F. Woodward, salary,	90 00
Mrs. N. F. Woodward, salary,	65 00
C. M. Ferry, salary,	75 00
Mrs. C. M. Ferry, salary,	65 00
E. A. Davis, salary,	75 00
Mrs. E. A. Davis, salary,	65 00
Chas. E. Lang, salary,	140 00
John Fraser,	75 00
D. L. Hewett,	75 00
McClening & Son, goods,	2 64
D. C. Parker, labor,	75 00
George H. French, chaplain,	8 00
B. & M. R. R., freight,	35 95
Wilkinson & Co., rubber goods,	2 90

N. G. Gurnsey, tobacco,	\$1 75
N. E. Biscuit Co.,	5 40
Gale & Town Mfg. Co., locks,	12 43
N. C. Henry, seeds,	1 40
C. W. Witham,	51 50
C. H. Hart, shoes,	9 00
Earl Davis, labor,	25 00
Lizzie Davis, labor.	20 00
D. C. Parker, labor,	48 40
Chicago White Lead Co., goods,	1 25
B. M. Woodward, liniment,	6 00
M. W. Chase,	3 50
J. H. Downs, fence posts,	15 63
Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Woodward, labor,	20 60
H. A. Ball, meat,	10 02
Alfred Yeates, goods,	50
A. A. Whitman, expenses,	57 23
A. A. Whitman, salary,	91 67
N. F. Woodward, salary,	30 00
Mrs. N. F. Woodward, salary,	21 67
D. M. Ferry, salary,	25 00
Mrs. D. M. Ferry, salary,	21 67
John Fraser, salary,	30 00
L. D. Hewett, salary,	25 00
Roy Woodward, salary,	25 00
H. W. Mason, salary,	35 00
D. M. Dillon, goods,	8 75
A. H. Farnsworth, blacksmith,	10 80
American Express,	2 70
B. & M. R. R., freight,	23 03
S. J. Chickering, wood,	32 75
B. & M. R. R., freight,	26 28
Carlton G. Dorman, oil,	66 74
S. J. Chickering, beef,	34 75
N. E. Homestead,	1 00
W. H. Parker, sawing wood,	12 83
F. E. Washburn, fish,	21 84
F. H. Wright, shoes,	2 25



Christian work,	\$5 00
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	3 80
M. B. Franklin, goods,	3 50
L. M. Willard, electric goods,	94
N. M. Darling, labor,	10 00
D. H. Hart, stationery,	10 50
A. G. Farnsworth, blacksmith,	13 25
C. P. Bugbee,	1 00
American Express Co.,	85
John Sheldon, potatoes,	3 75
Vermont Farm Machine Co., goods,	3 04
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	2 25
G. L. Pierce, lumber,	70 30
Walworth Mfg. Co., goods,	4 00
David Goodwin, pigs,	15 00
Ethel Shelley, organist,	2 50
George D. Robertson, repairs,	2 00
A. A. Whitman, expenses,	30 96
A. A. Whitman, salary,	91 67
N. F. Woodward, salary,	35 00
Mrs. N. F. Woodward, salary,	21 67
C. M. Ferry, salary,	25 00
Mrs. C. M. Ferry, salary,	21 67
John Fraser, salary,	30 00
L. D. Hewett, salary,	25 00
Roy Woodward, salary,	30 00
H. W. Mason, salary,	35 00
Henry Burns, salary,	25 00
Laura Fraser, salary,	17 14
Herbert L. Woodward, salary,	12 50
McClening & Son, goods,	13 49
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	3 40
E. A. Farr & Co., repairs,	3 53
A. A. Whitman, goods,	2 00
G. H. French, chaplain,	18 00
Waldo Hall, blacksmith,	6 60
Henry Burns, labor,	5 77
B. & M. R. R., freight,	18 47

American Express Co.,	1 75
A. E. Barnard, goods,	2 00
A. W. J. Wilkins, lumber,	8 05
G. L. Pierce, lumber,	18 99
C. W. Tenney, fertilizer,	42 05
H. J. Dutton, butter,	29 12
W. H. Blake, repairs on pump,	3 90
G. L. Pierce, lumber,	16 21
John W. Dinigan, chair,	10 00
A. B. Skinner, goods,	3 85
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	2 30
Emma Reed, labor,	17 87
H. J. Goodnow, labor and material,	11 53
Electric Storage Battery Co.,	24 94
Julia Hall, hens,	9 60
W. O. Allen, pigs,	22 50
L. G. Hewett, labor,	14 96
W. G. Reed, straw,	20 38
Union Publishing Co.,	3 75
H. J. Dutton, butter,	32 76
Aldrich & Dutton,	3 66
H. W. Mason, labor,	30 96
Mrs. N. N. Darling, labor,	17 50
A. Ellis, fish,	2 04
F. E. Washburn, fish,	27 97
A. A. Whitman, expenses,	48 15
H. F. Woodward, salary,	35 00
Mrs. H. F. Woodward, salary,	21 67
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whitman, salary,	91 67
C. M. Ferry, salary,	25 00
Mrs. C. M. Ferry, salary,	11 40
John Fraser, salary,	30 00
Roy Woodward, salary,	30 00
H. L. Woodward, salary,	25 00
Laura Fraser, salary,	17 14
D. L. Clark, salary,	21 15
John O. Loyd, labor,	10 77
Cora F. Butterfield, labor,	5 00

W. H. Parker, labor,	\$21 00
W. L. Mason & Co., insurance,	74 14
Goodnow & Aldrich, goods,	53 00
G. H. Aldrich & Son, insurance,	74 16
C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance,	74 17
G. F. Ball & Sons, insurance,	74 18
G. E. Holbrook Co., goods,	77 88
H. F. Wallace, goods,	21 47
Nims Bros. & Co., goods,	64 83
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 25
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	82 93
Goodnow & Aldrich, goods,	59 00
Corser & Britton, goods,	77 84
Abbott Grocery Co., goods,	81 50
J. A. Craig, medical services,	96 40
F. L. Carey, goods,	87 64
John F. Fields, lumber,	7 83
Worrill Mfg. Co., goods,	60 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	63 93
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	38 52
Haskell & Adams, goods,	49 77
F. L. Carey, goods,	61 75
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	143 88
F. E. Atherton, goods,	19 50
N. E. Telephone Co.,	6 60
Carlton G. Dorman, oil,	18 02
Pearson Bros., goods and labor,	15 85
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	45 82
Sentinel Printing Co., goods,	9 00
Abbott Grocery Co., goods,	16 84
Carter Churchill, goods,	78 00
J. Cushing & Co., goods,	21 60
Concord Beef Co., goods,	94 50
N. E. Telephone Co.,	6 85
Abbott Grocery Co., goods,	143 79
L. M. Willard, labor and goods,	14 47
F. H. Brown, clothing,	8 00
T. A. Craig, labor,	10 00



G. A. Craig, labor,	\$10 00
S. Wilkinson & Co., goods,	37 50
J. H. Pierce & Co., goods,	44 30
Nims Bros., goods,	152 40
F. E. Washburn, fish,	58 78
F. L. Carey, goods,	122 14
Cheshire Butter Co., goods,	99 06
Earl Warren, goods,	340 95
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	1 50
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	50 09
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	108 00
O. J. Howard & Co., goods,	76 00
A. A. Whitman, pay roll,	344 18
J. Cushing & Co., goods,	562 00
W. P. Chamberlain & Co., goods,	27 08
F. L. Carey, goods,	65 40
S. J. Chickering, goods,	77 25
F. H. Brown, clothing,	44 90
N. E. Telephone Co.,	14 42
Thayer & Collins, lumber,	42 12
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	27 80
Keene Cigar Co., tobacco,	10 50
Ben Shelling Tobacco Co., tobacco,	30 62
F. L. Carey, goods,	52 57
F. C. Tilton, clothing,	28 50
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	44 94
George H. Eames, grain,	47 20
A. A. Whitman, pay roll,	371 68
H. E. Swan, clothing,	11 20
L. C. Carron, goods,	19 10
West Disinfectant Co., goods,	20 00
N. E. Telephone Co.,	6 60
Charles C. Reid, training colt,	25 00
Pearson Bros., goods,	59 93
L. M. Willard, labor,	3 68
Goodnow & Aldrich, goods,	132 05
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	71 69
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	26 76

New Era Tea Co., goods,	\$6 00
F. L. Carey, goods,	73 43
Mrs. W. L. Jones, clothing,	35 00
John R. Burt, meat,	91 10
Earl Warren, goods,	362 84
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	37 19
Dunham Bros., goods,	149 60
G. H. Eames, goods,	39 15
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 18
Carter Churchill Co., goods,	36 00
Worrell Mfg. Co., goods,	60 00
A. A. Whitman, pay roll,	368 68
Cheshire Beef Co., meat,	77 80
F. C. Tilton & Co., clothing,	15 81
C. H. Bridgman & Co., goods,	68 03
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	6 75
C. L. Goodwin, clothing,	5 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	40 14
Nims Bros., meat,	212 92
Pearson Bros., goods,	115 49
C. C. Hall, Westmoreland taxes,	193 50
N. E. Telephone Co.,	6 50
National Biscuit Co., goods,	14 60
H. E. Hall, freight,	11 66
J. Cushing & Co., grain,	10 40
Haskell Adams Co., goods,	69 30
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	53 58
H. W. Hubbard, goods,	4 78
Concord Beef Co., meat,	12 00
D. M. Dillon, goods,	7 50
A. A. Whitman, pay roll,	357 15
New Era Tea Co., goods,	18 00
F. L. Carey, goods,	78 79
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	30 93
National Biscuit Co., goods,	13 25
Keene Beef Co., meat,	20 34
H. E. Hall, freight,	14 00
Carlton G. Dorman, goods,	23 17



BUILDING FOR INSANE WOMEN, AT WESTMORELAND.





N. E. Telephone Co.,	\$6 25
L. M. Willard, goods,	33 00
C. Warren, goods,	29 69
Thayer & Collins, lumber,	73 39
Pearson Bros., goods,	44 57
Griswold & Co., fish,	10 58
H. E. Hall, freight,	12 00
Wilkinson & Co., goods,	5 00
F. L. Carey, goods,	111 81
H. J. Goodnow, lumber,	28 50
John R. Burt, meat,	123 86
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	23 25
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	76 55
Keene Beef Co., beef,	11 90
H. E. Hall, freight,	17 00
A. B. Skinner Co., goods,	6 25
H. D. Pierce, goods,	27 00
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	1,835 64
Bullard & Shedd, goods,	55 09
F. E. Washburn, fish,	26 49
H. E. Swan, clothing,	140 23
S. J. Chickering, goods,	50 00
Electric Storage Co., goods,	4 64
Concord Beef Co., meat,	14 24
E. H. Fletcher, rent for pasture,	85 00
Earl Warren, goods,	388 00
J. A. Craig, medical services,	165 18
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	28 48
National Biscuit Co., goods,	20 53
Henry K. Barnes, hose,	161 30
A. A. Whitman, pay roll,	357 15
W. O. Dinsmore, labor,	78 75
H. E. Swan, clothing,	41 80
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 43
Carter Churchill Co., goods,	36 00
Charles C. Reid, services,	5 65
National Biscuit Co., goods,	21 40
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	7 20

Pearson Bros., goods,	\$26 99
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	10 00
Beaver Mills, lumber,	61 96
G. H. Eames & Son, grain,	119 10
Thayer & Collins, lumber,	39 00
D. R. & F. A. Cole, grain,	59 20
George E. Holbrook & Co., goods,	79 91
F. L. Carey, goods,	268 63
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	24 65
M. J. Tetreault, balance,	100 00
F. C. Tilton, clothing,	65 46
A. A. Whitman, pay roll,	357 15
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 05
Ned Pierce, slating,	39 20
C. M. Cummings, shoes,	55 50
George E. Holbrook, goods,	72 34
N. G. Gurnsey & Co., tobacco,	24 50
Alfred Yeates, goods,	23 40
H. W. Hubbard, goods,	4 69
C. H. Bridgman, goods,	21 77
W. H. Butler, fertilizer,	29 00
O. J. Howard & Co., goods,	57 00
Keene Beef Co., goods,	14 50
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	72 00
F. L. Carey, goods,	48 68
Cheshire Beef Co., goods,	74 86
John R. Burt, meat,	131 98
Nims Bros. & Co., meat,	203 45
Earl Warren, goods,	520 26
J. A. Craig, medical services,	100 50
Total,	<hr/> \$18,602 40

## RELIEF TO OUTSIDE POOR.

Alstead,	April term,	\$124 99
	October "	122 00
Chesterfield,	April "	69 39
	October "	18 52

Dublin,	April	term,	— — — —
	October	"	16 36
Fitzwilliam,	April	"	34 35
	October	"	— — — —
Gilsum,	April	"	1 20
	October	"	— — — —
Harrisville,	April	"	— — — —
	October	"	5 99
Hinsdale,	April	"	498 51
	October	"	463 51
Jaffrey,	April	"	324 85
	October	"	441 94
Keene,	April	"	1,900 48
	October	"	1,522 47
Marlboro,	April	"	16 75
	October	"	3 00
Marlow,	April	"	235 29
	October	"	203 05
Nelson,	April	"	— — — —
	October	"	— — — —
Richmond,	April	"	247 54
	October	"	110 45
Rindge,	April	"	15 25
	October	"	— — — —
Stoddard,	April	"	39 00
	October	"	39 00
Sullivan,	April	"	— — — —
	October	"	— — — —
Surry,	April	"	— — — —
	October	"	— — — —
Swanzey,	April	"	431 54
	October	"	400 09
Troy,	April	"	314 32
	October	"	223 99
Walpole,	April	"	321 01
	October	"	236 56
Westmoreland,	April	"	— — — —
	October	"	— — — —

Winchester,	April term,	\$639 37
	October "	471 58
Roxbury,	April "	— — —
	October "	— — —
H. W. Barker,		15 00
W. C. Hall, tickets,		8 50
Z. G. Taft,		3 00
John Collins, care Hall children,		40 00
F. L. Sprague, board and care of Mrs. Metcalf,		78 00
Annie Larkin, support of self,		60 00
Jennie Powers, services,		14 93
Mrs. Faloma Bouter,		15 00
W. C. Hall, tickets,		16 73
Elliot City Hospital,		79 77
Joseph Fortier,		40 86
City of Keene,		4 00
C. S. Moors,		2 25
C. S. Walker, M. D., medical services,		43 25
Helen Tolman, care of child,		15 00
Elliot City Hospital,		88 37
Jason Perry, care of child,		16 00
Jennie B. Powers, services,		32 30
O. J. Howard, goods,		2 00
G. W. Pierce, M. D., medical services,		50 00
C. M. Cummings, shoes,		9 50
Dublin Stage Co.,		1 25
Mary J. Woodman, care,		6 00
Harriet E. Lewis, witness,		2 69
G. F. Amidon,		15 00
W. C. Hall, tickets,		14 34
C. S. Walker, M. D., medical services,		36 25
Grace M. Cummings,		6 25
Benj. G. Hall,		30 90
John Collins, care of Hall children,		50 00
Jason Perry, care of child,		9 00
Elliot City Hospital,		77 65
O. J. Howard, goods,		20 00



Elliot City Hospital,	\$46 52
G. C. Hill, M. D., medical services,	17 00
Benj. G. Hall,	16 00
W. C. Hall, tickets,	29 90
Adeline Fisher, care of Mrs. Fisher,	18 00
Benj. G. Hall,	15 90
Martin Jennings,	2 00
Frank Tully,	10 00
City of Keene,	6 00
F. T. Vaughan,	5 00
A. G. Byrnes, M. D., medical services,	5 00
L. Wellington,	5 00
C. S. Walker, M. D., medical services,	31 25
Nat. Wheeler,	5 00
Benj. G. Hall,	15 90
Francis Fisher,	12 00
W. C. Hall, tickets,	3 73
G. W. Pierce, M. D., medical services,	86 30
Elliot City Hospital,	62 39
H. E. Swan, clothing,	7 25
Francis Fisher,	12 00
W. R. Smyth,	8 72
C. Auger,	2 00
Benj. G. Hall,	80 00
W. P. Chamberlain, goods,	4 00
Nat. Wheeler,	5 00
W. C. Hall, tickets,	3 48
Francis Fisher,	12 00
Elliot City Hospital,	201 20
Frank H. Brown, clothing,	10 00
Belknap County,	36 75
Nat. Wheeler,	10 00
Mary J. Perry,	28 75
O. J. Howard, goods,	34 00
C. S. Walker, M. D., medical services,	36 25
Elliot City Hospital,	70 86
Elizabeth Davis,	6 50

Total,

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\$11,357 79

## AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES.

Alstead,	April	term,	\$58 50
	October	"	58 50
Chesterfield,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Dublin,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Fitzwilliam,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Gilsum,	April	"	42 70
	October	"	70 25
Harrisville,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Hinsdale,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Jaffrey,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Keene,	April	"	140 15
	October	"	172 05
Marlboro,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Nelson,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Richmond,	April	"	141 50
	October	"	205 00
Roxbury,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Sullivan,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____
Surry,	April	"	6 00
	October	"	_____
Swanzey,	April	"	151 11
	October	"	73 30
Troy,	April	"	96 46
	October	"	105 21
Walpole,	April	"	_____
	October	"	_____

Westmoreland,	April term,	\$74 57
	October "	81 00
Winchester,	April "	<hr/>
	October "	87 50
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Total,		\$1,563 80

## COURT HOUSE EXPENDITURES.

Ethel M. Savage, copying records,	\$33 00
Henry R. Dort, labor,	84 28
Keene Gas Co., gas,	3 73
Goodnow & Aldrich, goods,	2 80
George M. Rossman,	3 65
Carlton G. Dorman,	3 00
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 62
Library Bureau,	9 25
Spencer Hardware Co.,	2 25
A. B. Skinner Co.,	3 45
Mary Donovan, cleaning,	23 12
Ethel Savage, copying records,	42 00
Keene Gas Co.,	4 38
George M. Rossman,	6 45
G. H. Tilden,	48 68
Smith Premier Co.,	4 50
G. H. Giffin,	2 25
N. E. Telephone Co.,	9 14
F. S. Webster Co.,	4 50
Ethel M. Savage, copying records,	12 00
Dean Knight, labor,	16 25
Keene Gas Co.,	2 92
George M. Rossman,	2 43
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 50
Herman C. Rice, labor,	142 75
A. B. Skinner Co., furnishings for court house,	717 31
J. P. Wellman,	21 80
G. M. Rossman,	13 70
C. M. Norwood, boxes,	4 00

C. C. Buffum, expenses,	\$7 05
Dunn & Salisbury, chairs,	160 00
Dean Knight, labor,	8 55
Spencer Hardware Co., coal,	566 87
Kirk & Sewell,	1 64
W. H. Spalter, goods,	67 25
George A. Gordon, labor,	487 39
Dean Knight, labor,	5 00
Library Bureau,	12 50
Mary Donovan, labor,	20 63
Pearson Bros.,	79
Henry R. Dort,	8 33
N. E. Telephone Co.,	24 20
Pearson Bros.,	1 38
C. C. Buffum, services,	125 00
N. E. Telephone Co.,	8 28
H. E. Fay, clock,	4 50
Dean Knight, labor,	12 00
Darling & Co.,	2 50
Duran & Kendall,	17 50
N. E. Telephone Co.,	8 40
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 46
Dean Knight, labor,	15 00
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 90
Dean Knight, labor,	7 00
Bullard & Shedd,	3 80
E. F. Gee, goods,	42 70
N. E. Telephone Co.,	8 35
Dean Knight, labor,	7 50
G. M. Rossman,	2 15
Kee Lox Mfg. Co.,	7 58
Duran & Kendall,	95 00
C. H. Bridgman,	96
Mary Donovan, labor,	30 63
N. E. Telephone Co.,	14 60
Pearson Bros.,	6 66
C. C. Buffum, express bills,	2 20
Library Bureau,	20 00





BARN AT ALMSHOUSE, WESTMORELAND.



Dean Knight, labor,	\$8 50
Keene Gas Co.,	34 38
Total,	<hr/> \$3,110 84

## JAIL EXPENDITURES.

Keene Gas Co.,	\$8 75
H. W. Hubbard,	1 80
N. E. Telephone Co.,	4 36
Cassius M. White,	173 71
Keene Gas Co.,	8 91
N. E. Telephone Co.,	5 92
Keene Gas Co.,	5 51
C. H. Fairfield, ice,	25 32
N. E. Telephone Co.,	5 90
S. S. Quinn, services as chaplain,	50 00
George M. Rossman,	4 00
W. S. Tuttle's bill, jailor,	892 45
George M. Rossman,	1 60
N. E. Telephone Co.,	11 70
N. E. Telephone Co.,	5 70
W. S. Tuttle's bill, jailor,	650 09
H. W. Hubbard,	75
N. E. Telephone Co.,	6 25
W. S. Tuttle,	55 66
N. E. Telephone Co.,	4 97
N. E. Telephone Co.,	5 28
W. S. Tuttle's bill, jailor,	659 47
W. S. Tuttle, milk,	46 00
N. E. Telephone Co.,	8 35
N. E. Telephone Co.,	7 05
George M. Rossman,	3 00
Keene Gas Co.,	41 48
C. H. Fairfield,	25 82
Herman C. Rice,	2 11
W. S. Tuttle's bill, jailor,	664 53
Total,	<hr/> \$3,386 44
New Hampshire State Hospital,	\$460 88
New Hampshire Orphans' Home,	490 00

State Industrial School,	\$472 92
St. Peter's Orphanage,	64 35
St. Joseph's Home,	156 78
Total,	<hr/> \$1,644 93

## MEDICAL REFEREE.

J. D. Proctor, M. D., services and ex- penses,	\$28 08
J. D. Proctor, M. D., services and ex- penses,	32 16
J. D. Proctor, M. D., services and ex- penses,	52 16
Total,	<hr/> \$112 40

## PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Sentinel Printing Co.,	\$263 75
J. D. Colony & Sons,	25 50
J. D. Colony & Sons,	5 00
Total,	<hr/> \$294 25

## SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES—APRIL TERM, 1906.

W. S. Tuttle, 26 days' attendance,	\$78 00
H. A. Perry, 26 days' attendance,	65 00
E. H. Lord, 26 days' attendance,	65 00
J. L. Stanley, 4 days' attendance,	10 00
Charles Madden, 26 days, messenger,	39 00
J. A. Seward, chaplain,	3 00
J. A. Reynolds, meals for jurors,	15 50
W. S. Tuttle, committing Delia Sharkey to Westmoreland,	4 30
W. S. Tuttle, committing Lena Sharkey to Westmoreland,	4 30
W. S. Tuttle, committing Fred Sharkey to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Oren Hop- kins to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Joseph Bautrouin to jail,	1 62



W. S. Tuttle, committing Fred Frazier to jail,	\$1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Joel Frazier to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Croto to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Joel Frazier to jail,	1 62
J. H. Pender, hacking prisoners,	16 00
A. J. LaRock, hacking prisoners,	12 50
H. T. Houghton, hacking prisoners,	6 75
W. S. Tuttle, 6 months' salary,	150 00
W. S. Tuttle, expenses,	51 90
Total,	<hr/> \$532 59

## SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES—OCTOBER TERM, 1906.

W. S. Tuttle, 24 days' attendance,	\$72 00
H. A. Perry, 10 days' attendance,	25 00
E. H. Lord, 24 days' attendance,	60 00
C. A. Madden, messenger, 24 days,	36 00
A. W. Bailey, chaplain,	3 00
W. S. Tuttle, committing B. F. Wheeler to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing B. F. Wheeler to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing man to state prison,	15 90
W. S. Tuttle, committing Abraham Jolly to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Fred M. Davis to state prison,	15 90
W. S. Tuttle, committing Frank Pelkey to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Frank Pelkey to jail,	1 62
W. S. Tuttle, committing Frank Howard to state prison,	15 90

A. J. LaRock, hacking prisoners,	\$5 00
H. T. Houghton, hacking prisoners,	10 00
J. H. Pender, hacking prisoners,	6 75
W. S. Tuttle, 6 months' salary, -	150 00
W. S. Tuttle, expenses,	21 00
Total,	<hr/> \$444 55

## INDEXING RECORDS, REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Ethel I. Blake,	\$82 49
Grace E. Harlow,	10 50
Ethel M. Savage,	206 25
Alice A. Farr,	82 50
Blanche Robertson,	70 00
Louise Woodward,	111 50
Alice Woodward,	161 60
Total,	<hr/> \$724 84

## MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Keene Water Works,	\$24 00
W. C. Hall, mileage and tickets,	25 75
J. P. Wellman, stamps,	5 00
American Express Co.,	4 55
W. C. Hall, mileage and tickets,	20 33
Walter R. Porter, salary,	200 00
City of Keene, sprinkling tax,	8 00
Kenneth E. Mosher, teams,	12 00
Joseph Madden, fee,	5 00
W. C. Hall, tickets and mileage,	26 30
O. E. Cain, services,	310 64
F. C. and L. A. Nims, teams,	14 00
City of Keene, water rents,	27 92
O. E. Cain, services,	20 42
J. Desmond, teams,	5 00
Town of Roxbury, care of roads,	125 00
Kenneth E. Mosher, teams,	33 50
Myron C. Ellis, labor on Surry road,	4 00
E. H. Lord, transportation,	30 00
W. C. Hall, mileage,	20 00
Total,	<hr/> \$921 41

## IMPROVEMENTS AT FARM.

Ned Pierce, slating,	\$60 90
L. L. Strong, fire escape,	188 00
Pearson Bros., plumbing,	273 47
E. T. Barnum, steel cages,	237 34
L. M. Willard, motor,	166 11
Total,	<u>\$925 82</u>

## COUNTY FARM INVOICE, DEC. 31, 1906.

Live stock,	\$3,567 00
Farm produce,	2,029 82
Supplies and provisions,	1,632 00
Clothing,	533 00
Farming tools,	1,250 00
Household furniture,	2,100 00
Total,	<u>\$11,111 82</u>

## RECAPITULATION.

## RECEIPTS.

Orders drawn on treasurer,	\$41,838 85
County Farm receipts,	4,368 21
Total,	<u>\$46,207 06</u>

## EXPENDITURES.

County Farm,	\$18,602 40
Permanent improvements,	925 82
Relief of outside poor,	11,357 79
New Hampshire State Hospital,	460 88
State Industrial School,	472 92
St. Peter's Orphanage,	64 35
St. Joseph's Boys' Home,	156 78
New Hampshire Orphans' Home,	490 00
Dependent soldiers,	1,563 80
Jail,	3,386 44

Medical referee,	\$112 40
Printing and stationery,	294 25
Sheriff,	977 14
Indexing records, register's office,	724 84
Miscellaneous expenses,	921 41
Court house expenses,	3,110 84
Cash paid treasurer,	2,585 00
Total,	<u>\$46,207 06</u>

### COST OF SUPPORTING INMATES AT THE ALMS- HOUSE.

Inventory of personal property, Dec. 1, 1905,	\$10,805 36
Ordinary expenses, not including per- manent improvements,	18,602 40
	<u>\$29,407 76</u>
Inventory, Dec. 31, 1906,	\$11,111 82
County farm receipts,	4,368 77
	<u>\$15,480 59</u>
Total cost,	\$13,927 17
Number of inmates,	91
Number of prisoners,	16
Number of weeks board furnished inmates, pris- oners and farm help,	6,188
Average cost per week, \$2.24.	

### INVENTORY OF COUNTY PROPERTY, DEC. 31, 1906.

Court house and lot,	\$42,000 00
Furniture and fuel,	3,000 00
Total,	<u>\$45,000 00</u>
Jail and lot,	\$30,000 00
Furniture and fuel,	1,500 00
	<u>\$31,500 00</u>



## COUNTY FARM.

Estimated value of farm and build-	
ings,	\$63,000 00
Personal property,	11,111 82
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Total,	\$74,111 82
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Total valuation,	\$150,611 82

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners and Citizens of Cheshire County:*

I herewith submit to you the following report:

In looking over the last report I find there have been 23 less admitted to the almshouse in 1906, than in 1905, two more discharged, two less deaths, and nine less remaining Jan. 1, 1907.

Rev. G. H. French, our chaplain since 1902, died Oct. 2, since which time we have had no regular chaplain, consequently there will be no chaplain's report. Mr. French was a man much esteemed by all, and performed his duties in a conscientious manner, and we miss his cheerful presence.

Two years ago it was thought best to dispose of most of our stock, and replace with a line of Jersey cows, and a comparison of the returns for cream for the years 1903 and 1904 with the years 1905 and 1906 show that it was a profitable shift, and I think there is a chance for still greater gains, by making further changes. In looking back to 1903 and 1904, I find we received \$948.72 for cream, and for the years 1905 and 1906 we received \$1,544.51, making a gain of \$595.79 in favor of the Jerseys, or a total of \$2,493.23 for the four years.

My relations with the commissioners have been of the pleasantest, and it must be gratifying to the tax payers of this county that the commissioners desire to see all of the unfortunates under their charge here well cared for, and much has been done to make their surroundings more pleasant, convenient and sanitary, and when the time comes that we may have a suitable hospital, a long

felt want will have been supplied. We very much regret that there is soon to be a change made in the present board of commissioners, by the retiring of Mr. Frank E. Nesmith, who has at all times shown that he is in perfect sympathy with the worthy unfortunates under his care—thoroughly conscientious and reliable.

In closing, I would once more thank our efficient helpers in the carrying on of our work, also our many friends who have in any way contributed to the comfort or pleasure of the inmates.

Very respectfully submitted,

A. A. WHITMAN,

Westmoreland, N. H.

## CHESHIRE COUNTY REPORTS.

RECORD OF INMATES OF CHESHIRE COUNTY ALMSHOUSE, FROM JAN. 1, 1906, TO JAN. 1, 1907.

NAME	AGE	DATE OF ADMISSION	RECEIVED FROM	DATE OF DISCHARGE	NATIONALITY	DAYS' BOARD	REMARKS
MALES.							
Allen, A. G.	78	Jan. 4, '06	Alstead	Jan. 23, '06	American	20	
Alton, George A.	63	Feb. 28, '06	Keene	Mar. 28, '06	American	29	
Aiken, Enoch	81	July 16, '06	Keene	Aug. 4, '06	American	20	
Burpee, A. E.	69	Dec. 30, '75	Dublin		American	365	Insane
Brown, Thomas	76	July 24, '01	Walpole		Irish	365	
Bliss, Cyrus R.	69	Feb. 6, '03	Gilsum		American	365	Imbecile
Bemis, Norman	22	May 20, '04	Rindge	Apr. 29, '06	American	119	Died
Baker, S. A.	72	May 31, '05	Keene		American	365	
Bartlett, Ald L.	7	Sept. 14, '05	Keene	June 13, '06	American	13	
Bartlett, Chester S.	3	Sept. 14, '05	Keene	June 13, '06	American	13	
Craig, Thomas A.	53	July 14, '06	Keene	Aug. 23, '06	Irish	41	Died
Cunningham, M.	70	Jan. 8, '04	Winchester			365	
Castor, Henry	9	Feb. 3, '06	Keene	Feb. 27, '06	French	25	
Davis, E. A.	61	Apr. 12, '91	Hinsdale		American	365	Insane
Dragon, James	77	Jan. 15, '04	Keene		French	365	
Doucette, Joseph	75	Nov. 28, '04	Hinsdale	Nov. 5, '06	French	309	
Day, James	34	Mar. 8, '06	Keene	Mar. 30, '06	American	23	
Enright, Dennis	69	Dec. 5, '04	Troy		American	365	
Enright, Michael	42	Mar. 28, '06	Troy		American	279	
Ericson, Julius	11	Aug. 25, '06	Troy	Oct. 24, '06	Polander	61	
Curby, Frank L.	64	Dec. 1, '06	Keene		American	31	Feeble minded
Farmer, Chas. G.	58	Nov. 3, '03	Walpole		American	365	Feeble minded
Grimes, Hosea	45	Jan. 10, '96	Westmoreland		American	365	Died
Ground, Chas.	72	Apr. 12, '06	Chesterfield	Apr. 19, '06	American	8	Cripple
Green, Chester	23	June 27, '05	Troy		American	365	
Hale, Harry L.	25	Nov. 12, '98	Rindge		American	365	Imbecile



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Hill, Fred B.	49	Jan. 14, '89	Westmoreland		American	365	Cripple
Hemphill, E. A.	31	Nov. 13, '97	Keene		American	365	Insane
Hendrix, Frank S.	21	Mar. 10, '03	Westmoreland		American	365	Feeble minded
Harris, George T.	79	Jan. 12, '04	Walpole		French	365	
Harty, David	64	May 10, '03	Walpole		Irish	118	Insane
Holden, Chas. C.	70	Nov. 25, '05	Keene	Apr. 28, '06	Irish	5	
Howard, Joseph	47	Oct. 8, '06	Winchester	Jan. 5, '06	American	85	
Healey, James J.	50	Oct. 9, '06	Winchester	Dec. 31, '06	American	84	
Jennings, M. J.	35	Nov. 14, '06	Keene		French	58	
Keyes, George H.	17	Oct. 29, '03	Troy		American	365	Epileptic
Lanigan, Mathew	31	Feb. 11, '91	Keene		Irish	365	Idiotic
LeWare, Nelson	29	July 15, '01	Keene		French	365	Feeble minded
LaVone, John B.	18	Dec. 24, '02	Rindge		French	365	Idiotic
LaNois, Wilfred W.	31	Feb. 10, '06	Keene	Feb. 22, '06	French	13	Insane
LaNois, Lifford	18 m	Apr. 24, '06	Keene	May 8, '06	French	26	
March, Luther	60	Nov. 12, '91	Westmoreland		American	365	Epileptic
Mason, L. C.	54	Nov. 19, '94	Surry		American	365	
Mann, James	69	Oct. 8, '98	Keene		Irish	365	
McKenzie, Alex'er	48	Mar. 2, '04	Walpole		Irish	163	Re-ad.Oct. 7; d. Nov. 7
Marvin, Oscar	61	Nov. 1, '06	Keene	June 12, '06	American	61	
Newton, M. F.	63	Dec. 25, '68	Alstead		Irish	365	Insane
O'Connor, Thos.H.	3	Feb. 27, '06	Keene		American	308	
O'Connor, Chas.L.	7	Feb. 27, '06	Keene	May 2, '06	Irish	65	
O'Connor, Jos. R.	1	Feb. 27, '06	Keene	May 2, '06	Irish	65	
Crelhou, Chas.	74	Mar. 23, '06	Keene	May 14, '06	Irish	54	
Peabody, Orison	70	Apr. 21, '98	Keene		American	365	Deaf and dumb
Rugg, Edwin C.	71	May 23, '06	Hinsdale		American	233	

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NAME	AGE	DATE OF ADMISSION	RECEIVED FROM	DATE OF DISCHARGE	NATIONALITY	DAYS' BOARD	REMARKS
Spring, Herbert	54	Feb. 13, '88	Keene	Apr. 17, '06	American	365	Feeble minded
Streeter, Oscar W.	born	Jan. 30, '06	Westmoreland	May 1, '06	American	50	Died
Schmidt, Fred	35	Apr. 3, '06	Keene		German	30	
Smith, Franklin B.	76	Dec. 16, '04	Fitzwilliam		American	365	
Sprague, Henry M.	1	Sept. 10, '05	Westmoreland	Apr. 21, '06	American	111	
Shove, George F.	69	Nov. 28, '05	Richmond	Mar. 6, '06	American	65	Died
Towns, George H.	63	Sept. 26, '91	Winchester		American	365	Insane
Tulley, Frank W.	81	Aug. 29, '05	Troy	Mar. 3, '06	Irish	62	Readmitted
Tukalo, Henri	23	Mar. 27, '06	Hinsdale	May 11, '06	Polander	47	Died
White, G. L.	74	Apr. 19, '04	Fitzwilliam	Dec. 13, '06	American	356	
Wellington, E. N.	51	June 16, '05	Jaffrey	May 1, '06	American	365	
Wellington, S. M.	78	Apr. 13, '05	Keene		American	121	Readmitted May 15
Whipple, J. L.	63	Sept. 17, '03	Fitzwilliam		American	365	Insane
Wood, Asa	85	Jan. 15, '06	Fitzwilliam	Mar. 26, '06	American	351	
Craig, George H.	52	Nov. 21, '05	Keene	Mar. 15, '06	Irish	85	
Zranning, Fred A.	2 m	Feb. 24, '06	Hinsdale	Apr. 13, '06	Swede	20	Died
Fulton, John		July 5, '02	Troy	Jan. 13, '06	French	102	
Bartlett, Harold	6	Sept. 14, '05	Keene		American	13	
FEMALES.							
Aiken, Catherine	71	Apr. 18, '98	Keene		American	365	Insane
Amidon, Annie	49	Jan. 17, '01	Westmoreland		Swede	365	Insane
Beals, Clara	57	Dec. 3, '90	Harrisville		American	365	Insane
Blake, Ellen	67	May 14, '88	Keene		American	365	Insane
Bartlett, Florence	33	May 26, '02	Chesterfield		American	365	Feeble minded
Bigelow, Mary J.	71	Jan. 26, '04	Westmoreland		American	365	
Baldwin, Addie M.	56	Jan. 26, '05	Winchester		American	365	Blind
Bartlett, Sarah J.	39	Sept. 14, '05	Keene	Jan. 13, '06	American	13	

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NAME	AGE	DATE OF ADMISSION	RECEIVED FROM	DATE OF DISCHARGE	NATIONALITY	DAYS' BOARD	REMARKS
Bartlett, Eunice M.	9	Sept. 14, '05	Keene	Jan. 13, '06	American	13	
Brick, Elizabeth	89	Nov. 7, '05	Marlboro		American	365	
Burt, Grace	1 m	Mar. 3, '06	Keene		American	304	
Callahan, Mary	56	Nov. 9, '85	Swanzy		Irish	365	Insane
Corbett, Margaret	37	July 31, '03	Keene		Irish	365	Insane
Castor, Annie W.	6	Feb. 3, '06	Keene	Feb. 27, '06	French	25	
Dillon, Ellen	74	Dec. 3, '90	Keene		Irish	365	Insane
Deering, Louvie M.	40	July 6, '95	Keene		American	365	Insane
Davis, Lizzie A.	57	June 10, '91	Hinsdale		American	365	
Fisk, Debora A.	66	Nov. 18, '67	Hinsdale		American	365	Feeble minded
Grimes, Mary	40	July 6, '71	Marlow		American	365	Feeble minded
Grant, Elizabeth	72	July 7, '04	Fitzwilliam		American	365	
Gayton, Louisa	72	Sept. 22, '06	Keene		American	111	
Hale, Grace	39	Aug. 3, '83	Swanzy		American	365	Insane
Holbrook, S. J.	59	Apr. 27, '82	Fitzwilliam		American	365	Insane
Hurley, Hannah	90	Mar. 4, '95	Hinsdale		Irish	365	
Hale, Mariah	62	May 20, '02	Rindge		American	365	Imbecile
Harris, Phoebe	70	Jan. 12, '04	Walpole		French	365	
Huntley, Sarah R.	75	Sept. 22, '06	Keene		American	102	
Ingalls, Carrie M.	51	Aug. 7, '03	Keene		American	365	Epileptic
Keyes, Roseltha	71	Sept. 23, '96	Alstead		American	365	
Keyes, Louise M.	46	Oct. 29, '03	Troy		American	365	Paraletic
Lee, Kate	53	Dec. 3, '90	Keene		American	365	Insane
Lanigan, Mary	22	July 10, '96	Keene	Jan. 23, '06	Irish	23	Died
Lakin, Anna A.		Mar. 2, '98	Jaffrey		American	365	Insane
Lovering, Sarah A.	60	Aug. 25, '99	Walpole		American	365	Feeble minded
Moore, Lottie	25	Nov. 25, '95	Winchester		American	365	Feeble minded

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Morse, Nellie J.	34	June 1, '02	Keene		American	365	Insane
McCloud, Stella	3 m	Mar. 10, '06	Keene		Swede	297	
O'Connor, E. G.	11	Feb. 27, '06	Keene	Apr. 24, '06	Irish	57	
O'Connor, Ethel F.	5	Feb. 27, '06	Keene		Irish	308	
O'Connor, Mary	6 m	Mar. 14, '06	Keene	May 2, '06	Irish	51	
O'Donnell, Mary	64	Dec. 26, '06	Keene		Irish	6	
Page, Mertie V.	29	Nov. 10, '03	Marlboro		American	365	Epileptic
Payne, Maud M.	7	Oct. 9, '05	Keene		American	365	
Russell, Lucy P.	69	June 30, '78	Jaffrey		American	365	Insane
Reed, Emma F.	18	Sept. 22, '04	Alstead	Nov. 20, '06	American	313	
St. York, Flora	30	June 9, '00	Chesterfield		French	365	Feeble minded
Scott, Alice M.	53	Dec. 28, '95	Chesterfield		American	365	
Sprague, E. E.	27	July 14, '05	Swansey	Apr. 21, '06	American	111	
Sprague, Edna M.	6	July 14, '05	Swansey	Apr. 21, '06	American	111	
Streeter, Lilla H.	16	Oct. 28, '05	Chesterfield		American	365	
St. John, Adela E.	53	June 28, '06	Keene	July 23, '06	French	31	Died
Scott, Sarah F.	64	Aug. 29, '06	Chesterfield		American	125	
Thomas, Clara A.	86	Jan. 20, '92	Chesterfield	Oct. 15, '06	American	288	Died
Tyrrill, E. F.	43	Mar. 2, '98	Hinsdale		American	365	Insane
Winham, E. J.	22	Mar. 2, '98	Marlow		American	365	Insane
Ward, Lena A.	78	May 12, '98	Pittsfield		American	365	Feeble minded
Wells, Amandy M.	35	Mar. 4, '04	Stoddard		American	365	
Worrell, Annie M.	76	July 12, '06	Westmoreland		French	173	
Dube, Eugenie	35	Aug. 25, '96	Jaffrey		French	365	Insane
Dyer, Florence	2	June 26, '05	Walpole	Apr. 24, '06	French	114	
Nimmo, Pearl D.	1	Apr. 17, '05	Keene		N. Scotia	365	
Kingsley, Mabel L.	22	Nov. 9, '97	Pittsfield	May 1, '06	American	121	Died
Kidder, Harritt	85	May 21, '96	Keene		American	365	

## AT ALMSHOUSE, JANUARY 1, 1907.

## MALES.

Burpee, A. E.	Jennings, M. J.
Brown, Thomas	Keyes, George H.
Bliss, Cyrus R.	Lanigan, Mathew
Baker, S. A.	Leware, Nelson
Cunningham, Morris	LaVoe, John B.
Davis, E. A.	March, Luther
Dragon, James	Mason, L. C.
Enright, Dennis	Mann, James
Enright, Michael	Marvin, Oscar
Curby, Frank L.	Newton, M. F.
Farmer, Charles G.	O'Connor, Thomas H.
Grimes, Hosea	Peabody, Orison
Green, Chester	Rugg, Edwin C.
Hale, Harry	Spring, Herbert
Hill, Fred E.	Smith, Franklin B.
Hemphill, E. A.	Towns, George H.
Hendrix, Frank S.	Tulley, Frank W.
Harris, George T.	Wellington, E. W.
Healey, James J.	Wellington, S. M.
Whipple, J. L.	Wood, Asa

## FEMALES.

Aiken, Catherine	Ingalls, Carrie M.
Amidon, Annie	Keyes, Roseltha
Beals, Clara	Keyes, Louise M.
Blake, Ellen	Lee, Kate
Bartlett, Florence	Lakin, Annie A.
Bigelow, Mary J.	Lovering, Sarah A.
Baldwin, Addie M.	Moore, Lottie
Brick, Elizabeth	Morse, Nellie J.
Burt, Grace	McCloud, Stella
Callahan, Mary	O'Connor, Ethel F.
Corbett, Margaret	O'Donald, Mary
Dillon, Ellen	Page, Mertie V.
Deering, Louvie M.	Payne, Maud M.



Davis, Lizzie A.	Russell, Lucy P.
Fisk, Deborah A.	St. York, Flora
Grimes, Mary	Scott, Alice M.
Grant, Elizabeth	Streeter, Lilla H.
Gayton, Louisa	Scott, Sarah F.
Hale, Grace	Tyrill, E. F.
Holbrook, S. J.	Winham, E. J.
Hurley, Hannah	Ward, Lena A.
Hale, Mariah	Wells, Amandy M.
Harris, Phoebe	Worrell, Annie M.
Huntley, Sarah R.	Dube, Eugenie
Nimmo, Pearl D.	Kidder, Harriett

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 EPITOME OF RECORDS.

Whole number at almshouse Jan. 1, 1906,		99
Admitted during year, females,	12	
Admitted during year, males,	26	
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Whole number during year,		137
Discharged, males,	26	
Discharged, females,	9	
Died, females,	4	
Died, males,	8	
		<hr/> 47
Remaining Jan. 1, 1907,		90
Convicts in house of correction,		23
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Total,		

## TREASURER'S REPORT

OF THE COUNTY OF CHESHIRE.

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE 30, 1906.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance,	\$14,145 05
Town of Westmoreland, board of paupers,	75 00
Town of Walpole, board of paupers,	148 60
D. R. Cole, board of Mrs. Thomas,	55 70
Warren H. Butler, board of pauper,	70 00
D. R. Cole, board of Nellie Morse,	60 00
D. R. Cole, board of Amidon,	69 75
D. R. Cole, board of Florence Bartlett,	31 00
D. R. Cole, board of Ellen Blake,	65 00
Town of Hinsdale, by F. E. Nesmith, board of Hinsdale paupers,	136 50
Standard Oil Co., by F. E. Nesmith, ac- count county farm,	7 00
Cheshire National Bank, overdraft,	10,859 06
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	\$25,722 66

## EXPENDITURES.

Carlton G. Dorman, goods for farm,	\$12 66
Helen Holman, board of O'Brien child,	7 00
O. J. Howard & Co., outside poor,	12 00
Ethel I. Blake, indexing,	23 33
Grace E. Harlow, indexing,	10 50
Ethel M. Savage, copying records,	33 00
Alice A. Farr, indexing,	39 00

N. H. Orphans' Home, board of children,	\$105 00
State Industrial School, board of paupers,	73 93
H. R. Dort, court house account,	84 28
St. Peter's Orphanage, board of paupers,	30 00
W. H. Parker, labor at farm,	21 00
St. Joseph's Home, board of paupers,	32 50
Keene Gas & Electric Co., court house and jail account,	12 48
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance at farm,	74 14
N. H. State Hospital, board of pau- pers,	81 68
Goodnow & Aldrich, farm and court house account,	55 80
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance at farm,	74 16
C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance at farm,	74 17
Geo. Frank Ball, insurance at farm,	74 18
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods for farm,	77 88
J. E. Allen, trustee, county farm,	21 47
G. M. Rossman, court house,	3 65
H. W. Hubbard, jail,	1 80
Nims Bros. & Co., goods for farm,	64 83
Carlton G. Dorman, reg. deeds office,	3 00
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service,	19 23
City of Keene, water,	24 00
Library Bureau, reg. deeds office,	9 25
Spencer Hardware Co., court house,	2 25
Spencer Hardware Co., goods for farm,	82 93
A. B. Skinner Co., probate office,	3 45
Goodnow & Aldrich Co., goods for farm,	59 00
Corser & Britton, goods for farm,	77 84
Abbott Grocery Co., goods for farm,	81 50
J. A. Craig, M. D., medical attendance at farm,	96 40
Henry H. Barker, burial of Esther Whitcomb,	15 00
Mary Donovan, cleaning court house,	23 12

Wm. C. Hall, tickets for paupers,	\$8 55
G. G. Taft, outside poor,	3 00
F. L. Carey, county farm,	87 64
John Collins, board and care of Hall children,	40 00
F. L. Sprague, board and care of Julia Metcalf,	19 50
Annie Larkin, board and care of child,	5 00
J. D. Field, lumber at farm,	7 83
C. M. White, jail and court house account,	173 71
Worrell Mfg. Co., goods for farm,	60 00
D. R. and F. A. Cole, freight for farm,	63 93
W. S. Tuttle, conveying prisoners to state prison,	15 90
J. Cushing & Co., goods for farm,	38 80
Haskell Adams & Co., goods for farm,	49 77
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	61 75
Knowlton & Stone, goods for farm,	143 88
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	9 00
Ethel M. Savage, reg. deeds office,	42 00
Alice A. Farr, indexing,	43 50
Ethel I. Blake, indexing,	16 50
Keene Gas & Electric Co., court house and jail,	13 29
G. M. Rossman, probate office,	6 45
W. C. Hall, mileage book and tickets,	25 75
Jennie Powers, care and clothing, Castor children and Lanois family,	5 00
Falora Bouter, board and care Sam'l Demars,	15 00
Ned Pierce, labor and stock at farm,	60 90
G. H. Tilden & Co., court house,	2 78
G. H. Tilden & Co., reg. deeds office,	45 90
F. E. Atherton, goods for farm,	19 50
C. C. Buffum, typewriter repairs, reg. deeds office,	4 50
George H. Giffin, court house,	2 25

J. P. Wellman, postage stamps,	\$5 00
L. L. Strong & Co., fire escape at farm,	188 00
American Express Co., express on reports,	4 55
Ethel I. Blake, indexing,	28 00
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service,	21 26
Carlton G. Dorman, goods for farm,	18 02
F. S. Webster Co., reg. deeds office,	4 50
Ethel M. Savage, reg. deeds office,	12 00
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	27 00
Dean Knight, labor at court house,	16 25
Pearson Bros., goods for farm,	15 85
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods for farm,	45 82
Keene Gas & Electric Co., court house and jail,	8 43
Sentinel Printing Co., court house, probate office and farm,	272 75
G. M. Rossman, court house,	2 43
W. C. Hall, railroad tickets for paupers,	8 15
C. H. Fairfield, ice for jail,	25 32
Jennie B. Powers, care and hacks, account Connors children, etc.,	9 93
Abbott Grocery Co., goods for farm,	16 84
Carter & Churchill, goods for farm,	78 00
J. Cushing & Co., goods for farm,	21 60
Concord Beef Co., goods for farm,	94 50
Annie Larkin, board of child, January and February,	10 00
W. C. Hall, railroad tickets for paupers,	8 58
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	20 25
Elliot City Hospital,	79 77
Abbott Grocery Co.,	143 79
L. M. Willard, labor and material at farm,	14 47
Joseph Fortier, care and transportation to Canada,	40 86



Boston & Maine Railroad, mileage and tickets,	\$20 33
Frank H. Brown, clothing for farm,	8 00
Thomas A. Craig, work at farm,	10 00
George H. Craig, work at farm,	10 00
S. S. Quinn, chaplain at jail,	12 50
Wilkinson & Co., goods for farm,	37 50
St. Peter's Orphanage, board of Hall children,	30 00
W. R. Porter, salary as treasurer,	200 00
State Industrial School, board of paupers,	80 79
N. H. Orphans' Home, board of paupers,	105 00
Herman C. Rice,	142 75
Town of Alstead, dependent soldiers' claim,	58 50
Town of Alstead, pauper claims,	124 99
Walter E. Mason, burial of pauper,	4 00
A. B. Skinner Co.,	717 31
Town of Chesterfield, pauper claims,	63 39
B. C. Thatcher, expense account paupers,	6 00
Town of Gilsum, dependent soldiers' claims,	42 70
Town of Gilsum, pauper claims,	1 20
Town of Fitzwilliam,	34 35
Town of Marlboro, pauper claims,	16 75
Ella F. Gee, probate office,	21 80
St. Joseph Boys' Home,	32 50
Town of Richmond, dependent soldiers' claim,	141 50
Town of Richmond, pauper claim,	247 54
Town of Hinsdale, pauper claim,	498 51
N. H. State Hospital, board and care,	77 14
G. M. Rossman, court house account,	13 70
J. H. Pierce & Co., goods for farm,	44 30
Town of Stoddard, pauper claim,	39 00

C. S. Moors, team for pauper,	\$2 25
Town of Swanzey, dependent soldiers' claim,	151 11
Town of Swanzey, pauper claim,	431 54
Town of Troy, dependent soldiers' claim,	96 46
Town of Troy, pauper claim,	314 32
Town of Jaffrey, pauper claim,	324 85
Town of Rindge, pauper claim,	15 25
C. S. Walker, salary and professional services,	43 25
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	40 50
Charles M. Norwood, reg. deeds office,	4 00
Charles C. Buffum, reg. deeds office,	7 05
Blanche L. Robertson, indexing,	6 00
G. M. Rossman, jail,	4 00
Dunn & Salisbury, court house,	160 00
John D. Proctor, services as referee,	28 08
Town of Surry, pauper claim,	6 00
Dean Knight, labor at court house,	8 55
Nims Bros. & Co., goods for farm,	152 40
Mrs. Helen Holman, care of O'Brien child,	15 00
Annie Larkin, board and care of boy,	5 00
Elliot City Hospital, care paupers,	88 37
F. E. Washburn, goods for farm,	58 78
Town of Marlow, pauper claim,	235 29
Jason S. Perry, care Marion Hinckley,	16 00
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	122 14
Cheshire Butter Co., goods for farm,	99 06
Spencer Hardware Co., coal, court house and jail,	566 87
City of Keene, street sprinkling, account court house,	8 00
Town of Westmoreland, pauper claim,	74 57
Town of Walpole, pauper claim,	321 01
Town of Winchester, pauper claim,	639 37
Kirk & Sewell, court house,	1 64

W. S. Tuttle, jail account,	\$892 45
A. A. Whitman, salary and expenses,	1,160 28
Earl Warren, goods for farm,	340 95
C. H. Bridgman, goods for farm,	1 50
City of Keene, pauper account,	1,900 48
City of Keene, aid dependent soldiers,	140 15
W. H. Spalter, court house,	67 25
Jennie B. Powers, account paupers,	14 97
D. R. and F. A. Cole, goods for farm,	50 09
H. E. Hall, freight on grain and flour,	108 00
O. J. Howard & Co., goods for farm,	76 00
O. J. Howard & Co.,	2 00
W. S. Tuttle, sheriff account April term,	480 69
George A. Gordon, court house,	487 39
A. A. Whitman, salary and expenses at farm,	344 18
St. Peter's Orphanage, board of chil- dren,	4 35
J. Cushing & Co., goods for farm,	562 00
F. L. Sprague, support of Julia Met- calf,	19 50
Ethel Blake, indexing,	14 66
Dean Knight, labor at court house,	5 00
Library Bureau, reg. deeds office,	12 50
W.P. Chamberlain Co., goods for farm,	27 08
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	37 50
Kenneth E. Mosher, teams,	12 00
Mrs. Mary Donovan, court house,	20 63
J. A. Craig, county physician,	100 50
George W. Pierce, medical services,	50 00
C. M. Cummings, paupers,	9 50
G. M. Rossman, jail,	1 60
Pearson Bros., jail,	79
Joseph Madden, services as counsel,	5 00
Blanche L. Robertson, indexing,	30 00
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	65 40
S. J. Chickering, goods for farm,	77 25

W. C. Hall, mileage and railroad tickets,	\$26 30
W. S. Tuttle, services,	36 00
Frank H. Brown, goods for farm,	44 90
H. R. Dort, probate office,	8 33
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	50 32
J. B. Powers, services and care of children,	14 83
Thayer & Collins, county farm,	42 12
Pearson Bros., county farm and court house,	274 85
Dublin Stage Co., carrying paupers,	1 25
J. Cushing & Co., goods for farm,	27 80
Keene Cigar Co., goods for farm,	10 50
Berry Suhling Tobacco Co., goods for farm,	30 62
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	52 57
F. C. Tilton & Co., goods for farm,	28 50
O. E. Cain, salary and expenses,	310 64
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods farm,	44 94
George H. Eames, goods for farm,	47 20
A. A. Whitman, May pay roll,	371 68
Charles C. Buffum, care of court house,	125 00
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	40 50
Blanche Robertson, indexing,	27 00
Mary G. Woodman, care of Merchant child,	6 00
Annie Larkin, care of child,	5 00
H. E. Swan & Co., goods for farm,	11 20
L. L. Carron Co., goods for farm,	19 20
West Disinfecting Co., goods for farm,	20 00
H. E. Lewis, paid to D. R. Cole, witness in pauper case,	2 69
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	20 58
J. D. Colony & Sons, printing,	25 50
G. F. Amidon, transportation of counsel and witnesses,	15 00
W. G. Hall, tickets for paupers,	14 34

N. H. State Hospital, account of pau- pers,	\$91 08
C. C. Reid, county farm,	25 00
N. H. Orphans' Home, account of pau- pers,	120 00
H. E. Fay, court house,	4 50
Pearson Bros., county farm,	59 93
S. S. Quinn, chaplain at jail,	12 50
W. S. Tuttle, salary and expenses at jail,	650 09
A. A. Whitman, salary and expenses at farm,	326 40
Goodnow & Aldrich, goods for farm,	132 05
C. H. Bridgman, goods for farm,	71 69
A. B. Skinner Co., goods for farm and reg. deeds office,	26 76
Chas. S. Walker, M. D., professional services,	36 25
Grace M. Cummings, care Mrs. St. John,	6 25
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	73 43
Benj. G. Hall,	15 90
Benj. G. Hall,	15 00
John Collins, care of Hall children,	50 00
Annie Larkin, care of child,	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Jones, goods for farm,	35 00
F. C. and L. A. Nims, teams,	14 00

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## WITNESS AND TERM FEES.

C. C. Buffum, state vs. O'Brien,	\$3 50
F. W. Crooker, state vs. Hamner,	2 45
C. W. Crooker, state vs. Hamner,	2 45
H. F. Buckminster, state vs. Bellows,	4 37
Wilcox, state vs. Ward,	13 64
Wilcox, state vs. Bellows,	12 25
Maranda Knapp, state vs. Senter,	1 13
John E. Benton, state vs. Morelock,	1 50



Geo. M. Ballou, state vs. Ward,	\$2 81
A. W. Gibson, state vs. Morelock,	18 75
C. C. Davis, state vs. Ward,	4 18
F. C. Davis, state vs. Ward,	2 81
C. E. Beals, state vs. Ward,	2 81
J. C. Perham, state vs. Ward,	2 93
J. E. Benton, state vs. Field,	1 50
J. E. Benton, state vs. Connell,	1 50
W. S. Tuttle,	12 65
B. G. Hall, state vs. various,	87 41
H. F. Buckminster, state vs. various,	4 62
Matilda Cota, state vs. Sharkey,	2 14
Joseph Ryan, state vs. Pelkey,	77
L. W. Holmes, state vs. various,	112 56
C. Napolitano, for C. Patiello, state vs. Bantiona,	7 78
C. Napolitano, state vs. Bantiona,	10 00
W. H. Philbrick, state vs. various,	14 38
H. A. Perry, state vs. various,	146 07
J. E. Benton, state vs. various,	7 50
E. H. Lord, state vs. various,	27 32
F. W. Crooker, state vs. Hamner,	2 45
W. S. Tuttle, state vs. various,	42 49
C. C. Davis, state vs. various,	5 51
Pinkerton Detecting Agency, state vs. Rogers,	287 59
Pinkerton Detecting Agency, state vs. Cheshire Express Co.,	110 47
O. E. Cain, state vs. Sargent,	35 00
O. E. Cain, state vs. Germaine,	78 84
O. E. Cain, state vs. Cheshire Express Co.,	10 00
O. E. Cain, state vs. Rogers,	39 46
F. M. Douglass, state vs. Sargent,	50 08
Lena M. Sharkey, state vs. Delia Sharkey,	8 55
Lucy E. Castor, state vs. Delia Sharkey,	13 37

C. M. Dodge, state vs. Ford,	\$9 00
L. Desilets, state vs. Roulland,	5 26
Earl W. Dickey, state vs. Roulland,	8 38
C. Farmer, state vs. Crain,	3 41
A. Lafountain, state vs. jury,	3 11
C. S. Moors, state vs. various,	64 71
A. A. Marsh, state vs. Calkins,	15 00
Chas. Kenney, state vs. Crain,	3 41
Elvira E. Kenney, state vs. Crain,	3 41
Fred Fairbanks, state vs. Frazier,	2 45
J. L. Stanley, state vs. Rogers,	5 65
Chas. M. Wilson, state vs. Christiaro,	5 81
Chas. M. Wilson, state vs. Labric,	5 81
W. E. Webster, state vs. Christiaro,	5 81
W. E. Webster, state vs. Labric,	5 81
J. L. Stanley and others, see memo.,	
state vs. Frazier,	34 77
G. H. Duncan, fees,	69 05
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	\$1,446 43

## SUPERIOR COURT ORDERS.

Robert J. Merrill,	\$9 18
Arthur J. Holden, services as auditor to account of 1906,	25 00
H. B. Viall, services as auditor to ac- count of 1906,	25 00
Frank E. Nesmith, services and ex- penses as commissioner to account 1906,	230 60
Hosea W. Brigham, services and ex- penses as commissioner to account 1906,	199 35
Daniel R. Cole, services and expenses as commissioner to account 1906,	224 50
Bessie A. Marsh, services as court stenographer,	149 30
L. W. Holmes, services as clerk,	541 54
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\$1,404 47

Grand jury, pay roll,	\$173 36
Petit jury, pay roll,	1,225 60
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	\$1,398 96
Arthur J. Holden, professional services in police court,	5 00

## . RECAPITULATION.

Receipts from all sources,	\$25,722 66
Commissioners' orders,	\$21,467 80
Witness and term fees,	1,446 43
Superior court orders,	1,404 47
Grand jury, pay roll,	173 36
Petit jury, pay roll,	1,225 60
Bill, A. J. Holden,	5 00
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	\$25,722 66

CHESHIRE, SS.

Keene, N. H., July 13, 1906.

We hereby certify that we have this day examined the foregoing accounts of Walter R. Porter, county treasurer, for the term beginning January 1, 1906, and ending June 30, 1906, and the payments made thereon. We find the same properly cast and legally vouched for.

HERBERT B. VIALI,  
ARTHUR J. HOLDEN,  
Auditors.

DANIEL R. COLE,  
FRANK E. NESMITH,  
HOSEA W. BRIGHAM,  
Commissioners.

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 30, 1906.

## RECEIPTS.

W. S. Tuttle, support U. S. prisoner,	\$12 20
D. R. Cole, board Mrs. Thomas,	52 00
D. R. Cole, goods sold Dr. Shoults,	41 34
D. R. Cole, amount paid C. D. Dor- man twice,	12 66
H. W. Keyes, balance license 1905-06,	799 94
H. W. Keyes, balance license 1906-07,	8,500 49
City of Keene, board of city paupers,	108 20
D. R. Cole, board of Whipple,	69 50
W. S. Tuttle, board of U. S. prisoners,	12 58
D. R. Cole, board of paupers, Rindge,	71 00
D. R. Cole, board of paupers, Walpole,	135 25
D. R. Cole, board of Seward,	20 00
B. G. Hall, costs Sharkey case,	2 50
L. W. Holmes, costs Wheeler case,	32 05
W. S. Tuttle, costs and fines Pelkey case,	174 31
F. E. Nesmith, board paupers, Fitz- william,	91 25
F. E. Nesmith, board paupers, Hins- dale,	138 00
D. R. Cole, board paupers, Walpole,	140 75
D. R. Cole, board paupers, Keene,	65 00
D. R. Cole, board paupers, Chester- field,	30 50
D. R. Cole, board Mrs. Thomas,	66 00
D. R. Cole, board Ellen Blake,	65 00
D. R. Cole, insurance,	475 00
D. R. Cole, board paupers, Rindge,	71 50
D. R. Cole, board Miss Morse,	70 00
L. W. Holmes, state vs. Murphy,	622 32
L. W. Holmes, state vs. Killeen,	622 32
J. W. Cahalane, justice fines,	5 00

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\$12,506 66

## TOWN TAXES, 1906.

Dublin,	\$1,473 46
Winchester,	1,938 52
Rindge, in part,	500 00
Chesterfield,	1,054 44
Alstead, in part,	500 00
Stoddard,	313 11
Hinsdale,	1,703 68
Nelson,	248 65
Westmoreland,	870 26
Jaffrey,	1,910 89
Richmond,	501 90
Roxbury,	138 14
Harrisville,	635 43
Fitzwilliam,	879 47
City of Keene,	9,464 51
Marlow, in part,	200 00
Marlboro,	1,367 55
Rindge, balance,	600 49
Walpole,	2,859 42
Surry,	313 11
Sullivan,	234 83
Marlow, balance,	260 45
Swanzey,	1,330 72
Gilsum,	405 20
Troy,	980 77
Alstead, balance,	315 00
City of Keene,	3,000 00
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	\$34,000 00

## EXPENDITURES.

L. M. Willard, county farm,	\$3 68
New Era Tea Co., goods for farm,	6 00
John R. Burt, goods for farm,	91 10
St. Joseph Boys' Home,	43 03



Jason S. Perry, care of child,	\$9 00
Annie Larkin, care of child,	5 00
H. W. Hubbard, repairs at jail,	75
Earl Warren, goods for farm,	362 84
State Industrial School, care of pau- pers,	127 49
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods for farm,	37 19
Dean Knight, labor at court house,	12 00
Darling & Co., reg. deeds office,	2 50
Duren & Kendall,	17 50
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	39 00
Blanche Robertson, indexing,	7 00
Jennie B. Powers, paupers,	2 50
Elliot City Hospital,	77 65
A. M. Nims,	27 92
F. L. Sprague, board and care of Julia Metcalf,	19 50
Dunham Bros., goods for farm,	149 60
O. J. Howard & Co., goods for farm,	20 00
G. H. Eames, goods for farm,	39 15
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	21 83
Elliot City Hospital, paupers,	46 52
Carter & Churchill, goods for farm,	36 00
Worrell Mfg. Co., goods for farm,	60 00
John D. Proctor, professional services,	32 16
A. A. Whitman, pay roll for July,	368 68
G. C. Hill, professional services,	17 00
Keene Beef Co., goods for farm,	77 80
W. S. Tuttle, goods for jail,	55 66
F. C. Tilton & Co., goods for farm,	15 81
Ethel M. Savage, indexing,	12 75
B. G. Hall, conveying Wm. Nimo to Manchester,	16 00
C. H. Bridgman, goods for farm,	68 03
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods for farm,	6 75
C. L. Goodwin, goods for farm,	5 00
Alice Woodward, indexing,	21 33
Knowlton & Stone, goods for farm,	40 14

Nims Bros. & Co., goods for farm,	\$212 92
Pearson Bros., goods for farm,	115 49
Town of Westmoreland, taxes,	193 50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	18 96
National Biscuit Co., goods for farm,	14 60
W. C. Hall, mileage and tickets,	29 90
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on cells,	11 66
J. Cushing & Co., goods for farm,	10 40
Haskell Adams & Co., goods for farm,	69 30
Francis A. Fisher, care Mrs. Fisher,	18 00
Spencer Hardware Co., goods for farm,	53 58
E. S. Barnum, N. Y. Dft., goods for farm,	237 34
H. W. Hubbard, goods for farm,	4 78
Concord Beef Co., goods for farm,	12 00
D. M. Dillon, goods for farm,	7 50
A. A. Whitman, labor at farm,	357 15
B. G. Hall, taking W. Ballou to Con- cord,	15 90
Martin J. Jennings, self support,	2 00
New Era Tea Co., goods for farm,	18 00
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	78 79
Dean Knight, labor, court house,	15 00
C. H. Bridgman, goods for farm,	30 93
Alice Woodward, indexing,	27 43
Louise Woodward, indexing,	2 00
Frank W. Tully, self support,	10 00
National Biscuit Co., goods for farm,	13 25
Keene Beef Co., goods for farm,	20 34
H. E. Hall, freight,	14 00
C. G. Dorman, goods for farm,	23 17
S. S. Quinn, services,	12 50
Griswold & Co., goods for farm,	10 58
N. H. State Hospital, paupers,	125 21
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., farm, \$6.25, court house \$7.90, jail \$5.28,	19 43
O. E. Cain, one-half expense investi- gating McCarthy fire in E. Jaffrey,	20 42

Walter E. Mason, burial of paupers,	\$6 00
Frank T. Vaughan, counsel, state vs. Driscoll,	5 00
A. G. Byrns, medical attendance on Finn,	5 00
Annie Larkin, board and care of boy,	10 00
L. M. Willard, goods at farm,	33 00
Charles Warren, goods at jail,	29 69
Thayer & Collins, goods at farm,	73 39
Pearson Bros., goods at farm,	44 57
L. Wellington, services as counsel,	5 00
Chas. S. Walker, M. D., salary,	31 25
John Desmond, team to farm,	2 00
St. Joseph Boys' home, paupers,	48 75
Town of Alstead, aid to dependent soldiers,	58 50
Town of Alstead, pauper claims,	122 00
H. E. Hall, freight,	12 00
Nat. Wheeler, self support,	5 00
Town of Gilsum, dependent soldiers' claim,	70 25
Benj. G. Hall, pauper account,	15 90
Town of Jaffrey, pauper claim,	441 94
Wilkinson & Co., goods for farm,	5 00
Dean Knight, labor, court house,	7 00
Francis A. Fisher, support Adelaide Fisher,	12 00
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	113 81
H. J. Goodnow, goods for farm,	28 50
John R. Burt, goods for farm,	123 86
Town of Dublin, pauper claim,	16 36
Town of Winchester, pauper claim,	471 58
Town of Winchester, dependent sol- diers' claim,	87 50
C. H. Bridgman, goods for farm,	23 25
Alice Woodward, indexing,	33 34
Louise Woodward, indexing,	30 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods for farm,	76 55

Keene Beef Co., goods for farm,	\$11 90
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on coal,	17 00
Town of Marlboro, pauper claim,	3 00
A. B. Skinner & Co., goods for farm,	6 25
Town of Richmond, aid to dependent soldiers,	205 00
Town of Richmond, paupers,	110 45
Town of Marlow, paupers,	203 05
H. D. Pierce, goods for farm,	27 00
Town of Hinsdale, pauper claim,	463 51
Town of Chesterfield, pauper claim,	18 52
Spencer Hardware Co., coal and goods for farm,	1,835 64
Charles W. Buckminster, repairs on branch road,	125 00
Town of Troy, dependent soldiers' claim,	105 21
Town of Troy, pauper claim,	223 99
F. E. Washburn, goods for farm,	26 49
Bullard & Shedd Co., farm and court house,	58 89
Town of Swanzey, pauper claim,	400 09
Town of Swanzey, aid to dependent soldiers,	73 30
Town of Walpole, pauper claims,	236 56
Town of Stoddard, pauper claims,	39 00
Town of Westmoreland, dependent soldiers' claim,	81 00
A. A. Whitman, salary and expenses at farm,	524 90
H. E. Swan & Co., clothing for farm,	140 23
N. H. Orphans' Home, board and care children,	160 00
State Industrial School, board and care children,	190 71
W. C. Hall, R. R. tickets,	3 73
W. S. Tuttle, salary and expenses,	657 47
S. J. Chickering, goods for farm,	50 00

Electric Storage Battery Co., goods for farm,	\$4 64
Concord Beef Co., goods for farm,	14 24
W. S. Tuttle, milk for jail,	46 00
City of Keene, paupers,	1,522 47
City of Keene, dependent soldiers,	172 05
E. H. Fletcher, pasture for county farm,	85 00
Geo. W. Pierce, services as physician,	50 00
Geo. W. Pierce, paupers,	36 30
Earl Warren, county farm,	388 00
F. L. Sprague, support Julia Metcalf,	19 50
J. A. Craig, M. D., medical attendance, farm,	165 18
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods for farm,	28 48
Elliot City Hospital, care paupers at hospital,	62 39
J. D. Colony & Sons, printing,	5 00
National Biscuit Co., goods for farm,	22 53
Town of Harrisville, paupers,	5 99
W. S. Tuttle, sheriff fees, October term, 1906,	423 55
Henry K. Barnes, goods for farm,	161 30
K. E. Mosher, teams,	33 50
A. A. Whitman, October pay roll,	357 15
W. O. Dinsmore, labor at farm,	78 75
H. E. Swan & Co., goods for paupers,	7 25
H. E. Swan & Co., goods for farm,	41 80
E. F. Gee, probate court,	42 70
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service,	24 13
Frances A. Fisher, care Adline Fisher four weeks,	12 00
Dean Knight, court house,	7 00
Louise Woodward, indexing,	40 50
Alice Woodward, indexing,	40 50
G. M. Rossman, court house,	2 15
L. M. Willard, county farm,	166 15
Kee Lox Mfg. Co., reg. deeds office,	7 58



Duren & Kendall, reg. deeds office,	\$95 00
M. E. Ellis, Surry road,	4 00
Carter & Churchill Co., county farm,	36 00
W. R. Smyth & Co., paupers,	8 72
C. C. Reid, county farm,	5 65
E. H. Lord,	30 00
John Starkey, paupers,	2 00
Benj. G. Hall, paupers,	80 00
National Biscuit Co., goods for farm,	21 40
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance, county farm,	7 20
Pearson Bros., county farm,	26 99
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance, county farm,	10 00
Beaver Mills, county farm,	61 96
G. H. Eames & Son, county farm,	119 10
C. H. Bridgman, court house,	96
John D. Proctor, medical referee,	52 16
Thayer & Collins, goods for farm,	39 00
W. P. Chamberlain & Co., goods for farm,	4 00
D. R. & F. R. Cole, goods for farm,	59 20
Mary Donovan, court house,	30 63
Nat. Wheeler, self support,	5 00
G. E. Holbrook & Co., goods for farm,	79 91
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	268 63
C. H. Bridgman, goods for farm,	24 65
W. C. Hall, mileage and railroad tickets,	23 48
M. J. Tetreault, horse for farm,	100 00
Frances A. Fisher, care Mrs. A. Fisher,	12 00
F. C. Tilton & Co., clothing for farm,	65 46
A. A. Whitman, pay roll at county farm,	357 15
Elliot City Hospital, paupers,	201 20
Frank H. Brown, paupers,	10 00
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service,	28 70
Ned Pierce, goods for farm,	39 20

C. M. Cummings, goods for farm,	\$55 50
Holbrook Grocery Co., goods for farm,	72 34
Annie Larkin, board and care of child,	15 00
N. G. Gurnsey & Co., goods for farm,	24 50
Alfred E. Yeates, goods for farm,	23 40
H. W. Hubbard, goods for farm,	4 69
County of Belknap, care of child,	36 75
Pearson Bros., court house,	6 66
C. H. Bridgman, county farm,	21 77
C. C. Buffum, register deeds,	2 20
Alice Woodward, indexing,	39 00
Louise Woodward, indexing,	39 00
Library Bureau, register deeds,	20 00
G. M. Rossman, jail,	3 00
Nat. Wheeler,	10 00
W. H. Butler, phosphate for farm,	29 00
Mary J. Perry, paupers,	28 75
Dean Knight, court house,	8 50
O. J. Howard & Co., farm and outside sick poor,	91 00
Keene Beef Co., goods for farm,	14 50
Chas. S. Walker, M. D., professional services,	36 25
Keene Gas & Electric Co., court house and jail,	75 86
C. H. Fairfield, ice at jail,	25 82
Holbrook Grocery Co.,	72 00
N. H. State Hospital, board and care,	85 77
Elliot City Hospital, board and care,	70 86
F. L. Carey, goods for farm,	48 68
Cheshire Beef Co., county farm,	74 86
S. S. Quinn,	12 50
W. S. Tuttle, salary and expenses,	664 53
Elizabeth Davis, support of Mary Nilsby,	6 50
John R. Burt, meat for farm,	203 45
A. A. Whitman, expenses at farm,	45 65
Nims Bros. & Co., meat for farm,	203 45

Earl Warren, county farm,	\$520 26
W. S. Tuttle, services and expenses,	21 00
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	\$20,398 37

## WITNESS AND TERM FEES.

Florence M. Knight, state vs. Crain,	\$4 01
S. W. Dart, state vs. Lowell,	2 45
Jos. F. Pender, state vs. Roulland,	7 48
Jos. F. Pender, state vs. Crain,	1 45
Jos. M. Bundy, state vs. Lowell,	8 45
J. Q. Pickering, state vs. Lowell,	1 49
A. J. Pettingill, state vs. Ward,	2 93
R. C. Woodward, state vs. Betts,	13 10
Lucius Spaulding, state vs. Tibbetts,	3 17
W. S. Tuttle, state vs. various,	70 08
B. G. Hall, (see list), state vs. various,	104 81
L. W. Holmes, (see list), state vs. various,	102 91
Miss Wright, state vs. Castor,	77
Louis Wright, state vs. Castor,	77
E. M. Thompson and others, state vs. Cyenoros,	121 02
H. F. Buckminster, state vs. various,	12 87
A. W. Gibson and others, state vs. Duprese,	23 14
C. M. Dodge, state vs. Jolly,	14 88
Fred Schofield, state vs. Jolly,	4 29
C. Williams, state vs. Jolly,	4 61
C. C. Davis and others, state vs. Bar- rett,	12 54
Cain & Benton, account Benton, state vs. various,	18 00
Cain & Benton, account Cain, state vs. various,	96 05
Geo. H. Duncan and others, state vs. Pelkey,	56 60
John Dudes, state vs. Zenoros,	10 00

A. W. Gibson, state vs. White,	\$4 25
E. H. Sargent, state vs. White,	5 34
W. H. Philbrick, state vs. various,	4 62
Geo. Staples, state vs. Kennedy,	77
Carl Swanstrom, state vs. Driscoll,	77
B. H. Whithouse, state vs. Zenoros,	7 00
John H. Simpson, state vs. York,	77
E. H. Lord, per list, state vs. various,	66 29
R. T. Kingsbury, state vs. Davis,	2 14
W. S. Tuttle, state vs. Pelkey,	1 62
E. L. Willard, state vs. Wheeler,	3 10
John Holbrook, state vs. Wheeler,	3 10
C. S. Moors, state vs. Duprez,	12 38
C. S. Moors, state vs. Durant,	4 34
W. McRoy, state vs. Wheeler,	1 85
Andrew LaFountain, state vs. Page,	7 66
A. A. Marsh, state vs. Hill,	7 35
A. Wallace, state vs. Page,	3 54
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	\$834 76

## SUPERIOR COURT ORDERS.

D. R. Cole, services and expenses as commissioner, Jan. 1, to July 1, 1906,	\$222 00
H. W. Brigham, services and expenses as commissioner, Jan. 1 to July 1, 1906,	225 96
F. E. Nesmith, services and expenses as commissioner, Jan. 1 to July 1, 1906,	282 00
L. W. Holmes,	459 96
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	\$1,189 92
Grand jury, pay roll,	\$130 08
Petit jury, pay roll,	391 12
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	\$521 20

## RECAPITULATION.

Receipts from all sources,		\$46,506 66
Commissioners' orders,	\$20,398 37	
Witness and term fees,	834 76	
Superior court orders,	1,189 92	
Grand jury, pay roll,	130 08	
Petit jury, pay roll,	391 12	
Overdraft,	10,859 06	
Cheshire bank, interest on same,	155 38	
Balance,	12,547 97	
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	\$46,506 66	\$46,506 66

CHESHIRE, SS.

Keene, N. H., January 12, 1907.

We hereby certify that we have this day examined the foregoing accounts of Walter R. Porter, county treasurer, for the term beginning July 1, 1906, and ending December 31, 1906, and the payments made thereon. We find the same properly cast and legally vouched for.

HERBERT B. VIALI,  
ARTHUR J. HOLDEN,

Auditors.

DANIEL R. COLE,  
FRANK E. NESMITH,  
HOSEA W. BRIGHAM,

Commissioners.



## PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Cheshire County:*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as physician for the Cheshire county almshouse for the year ending December 31, 1906. As usual, this institution has been exempt from contagious or infectious diseases with the exception of tubercular patients. At the request of the state board of charity, which was in keeping with modern thought and protection for others otherwise not afflicted with tuberculosis, it was deemed imperative that some accommodations should be furnished for the isolation and treatment of tubercular inmates. Therefore, during the year, a small building has been rented to carry out this project. The results have been very satisfactory, so much so, that several patients have left the institution, improved to the extent of resuming manual labor. And, with one exception, have thus far been able to earn their own living.

Twelve deaths have occurred.

In conclusion I desire to thank the superintendent, Mr. Whitman, and matron, Mrs. Whitman, the county commissioners and all the employes of the institution for their kindness and courtesies during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. CRAIG.

Westmoreland, N. H., December 31, 1906.

## REPORT OF CLERK OF COURT.

The clerk of the superior court makes the following report for the period from December 31, 1905, to December 31, 1906.

### STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

APRIL TERM, 1906.

*County of Cheshire to L. W. Holmes, Dr.*

To dockets,	\$42 00
dockets of new entries,	9 50
one-half printing case, Brigham, guar., v. Madden, guar.,	1 12
one-half printing case, Gaudette, adm'x. v. B. & M. R. R.,	1 13
printed blanks,	12 50
large record books with indexes,	46 34
stationery, stamps, etc.,	24 52
recording judgments, 413¾ pages, @ 17c,	70 21
certifying 144 cases @ 8c,	11 52
entry fees in 30 state cases @ 30c,	9 00
amount allowed by rule of court, 25 days' attendance at court @ \$5.00,	500 00 125 00
9 warrants of commitment @ \$1,	9 00
4 writs of capias,	4 00
	————— \$865 84
<i>Cr.</i>	
By 127 entries @ 90c.,	\$114 30
10 dockets sold @ \$1.50,	15 00
fine, state v. Lee,	100 00
fine, state v. Croto,	50 00
fine, state v. Betz,	25 00
4 jury fees @ \$5.00,	20 00
	————— \$324 30
	\$541 54

## OCTOBER TERM, 1906.

*County of Cheshire to L. W. Holmes, Dr.*

To dockets,	\$42 00	
dockets of new entries,	6 50	
one-half printing case, state v. Frazier,	1 13	
one-half printing case, Ashuelot N. Bank v. Keene,	88	
one-half printing case, Lovell, ex'r. v. Lovell, apt.,	4 37	
one-half printing case, O'Neil v. Walpole,	5 63	
one-half printing case, Moore v. Md. Casualty Co.,	1 12	
printed blanks,	2 75	
stationery, stamps, blank books, etc.,	37 43	
recording judgments, 393 pages, @ 17c,	32 81	
certifying same 68 cases @ 8c,	5 44	
entry fee in 12 state cases @ 30c,	3 60	
two capias writs,	2 00	
seven warrants of commitment,	7 00	
copy of order of discharge of a prisoner,	1 00	
24 days' attendance at court @ \$5,	120 00	
amount allowed by rule of court,	500 00	
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<i>Cr.</i>		
By 93 entries @ 90c,	\$83 70	
10 dockets sold @ \$1.50,	15 00	
fine, state v. Wheeler,	200 00	
3 jury fees at @ \$5.00,	15 00	
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		\$459 96

L. W. HOLMES, -  
Clerk of Superior Court.

## SHERIFF'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners:*

I herewith submit my annual report of the doings of myself and deputies for the year ending December 31, 1906.

### APRIL TERM, SUPERIOR COURT, 1906.

To 26 days' attendance at court,	\$78 00
H. A. Perry, deputy sheriff, 26 days' attendance,	65 00
E. H. Lord, deputy sheriff, 26 days' attendance,	65 00
J. L. Stanley, deputy sheriff, 4 days' attendance,	10 00
Charles Madden, messenger, 26 days,	39 00
Rev. Josiah Seward, chaplain,	3 00
J. A. Reynolds, meals for jurors,	15 50
Committing Delia Sharkey to Westmoreland,	4 30
Committing Lucy Sharkey to Westmoreland,	4 30
Committing Fred Sharkey to jail,	1 62
Committing Orrin Hopkins to jail,	1 62
Committing Joseph Bantrover to jail,	1 62
To J. H. Pender, hacking for prisoners,	16 00
A. J. LaRock, hacking for prisoners,	9 00
H. T. Houghton, hacking for prisoners,	6 75
To one-half year's salary as jailer,	150 00
Committing Fred Frazier to jail,	1 62
Committing Joel Frazier to jail,	1 62

Committing Euclid Croto to jail,	\$1 62
Committing Joel Frazier to jail,	1 62
A. J. LaRock, hacking,	3 50
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	\$480 69

## OCTOBER TERM, SUPERIOR COURT, 1906.

To 24 days' attendance,	\$72 00
H. A. Perry, deputy sheriff, 10 days' attendance,	25 00
E. H. Lord, deputy sheriff, 24 days' attendance,	60 00
C. A. Madden, messenger, 24 days,	36 00
Rev. Arthur W. Bailey, chaplain,	3 00
Committing B. F. Wheeler to jail,	1 62
Committing B. F. Wheeler to jail,	1 62
Committing Vacchi Czenoros to state prison,	15 90
Committing Abraham Jolly to jail,	1 62
Committing Fred M. Davis to state prison,	15 90
Committing Frank Pelkey to jail,	1 62
Committing Frank Pelkey to jail,	1 62
Committing Frank Howard to state prison,	15 90
A. J. LaRock, hacking prisoners,	5 00
H. T. Houghton, hacking prisoners,	10 00
J. H. Pender, hacking,	6 75
One-half year's salary as jailor,	150 00
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	\$423 55

WILLIAM S. TUTTLE,  
Sheriff.

Keene, N. H., December 31, 1906.



## JAILOR'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners:*

The following is a correct list of the number of prisoners committed to my charge for the year ending December 31, 1906.

Whole number committed,	130
Drunkenness,	102
Violation of liquor law,	10
Assault,	2
Arson,	1
Larceny,	2
Highway robbery,	1
Furnishing liquor to minors,	1
Breaking and entering,	2
Safe keeping,	2
Violation of revenue law,	2
Concealing death of child,	3
Murder,	1
Keep peace,	1
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WILLIAM S. TUTTLE,  
Jailor.

REPORT OF THE  
MASTER OF THE HOUSE OF CORRECTION  
AT WESTMORELAND.

*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners:*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as master of the house of correction for the year ending January 1, 1907.

Remaining Jan. 1, 1906,	13
Committed during the year,	172
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Whole number under my charge,	185
Discharged,	150
Escaped and not returned,	12
Remaining Jan. 1, 1907,	23
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	185

The increase in the number of commitments over last year is largely due to receiving the eighteen day men the past year, which have previous to 1906 been sentenced to Keene.

I expressed a desire to have these short term men sent to the farm, believing that they would prove to be good laborers, and less liable to escapes, and the record shows that we have lost a very small per cent of the whole number committed, but we find our small and unsuitable quarters to be a great inconvenience to ourselves, as well as to the convicts, and unless the change from license to no license in Keene, proves to be the means of lessening the number sent here from Keene and other towns, it will be absolutely necessary to arrange for more commodious

quarters, as it seems that we could use this class of people here to good advantage—providing suitable quarters are secured.

The commissioners have purchased three steel cells for use in connection with our house of correction, which will be of great advantage when handling convicts requiring stronger quarters than those in general use.

It may not be out of place here to give some family status of those committed here the past year, as I have been surprised at the large per cent of single men committed here, although the passage of scripture which we find in Gen. 2, 18, which says, "it is not good that man should be alone," may not apply here as a reason why single men have so largely predominated.

I find 147 have declared themselves as single, 25 as widowers and 12 as married, while one is not given, which makes the 185, whose average age is between 35 and 36 years.

Respectfully submitted,

A. A. WHITMAN,

Master.

Westmoreland, N. H.

## SOLICITOR'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners for the County of Cheshire:*

GENTLEMEN:—I beg leave to submit my report as solicitor for the period extending from January 1, 1906, to December 31, 1906, inclusive.

The only civil actions in which the county has been interested were the one in Sullivan county, described in my last report, in which the claim made by the county of Cheshire was denied, and one in which was brought to the attention of the court the question of the support of a pauper in Fitzwilliam, which was decided adversely to the county.

The following criminal actions have been prosecuted, or are now pending.

### APRIL TERM, 1906.

The cases against Edward Brown and Royal Cook for rape were dismissed owing to the fact, that upon investigation, the character of the state's principal witness did not prove to be such as to justify further prosecution.

Joseph Bantrova was tried by jury for assault with intent to kill in the town of Walpole, and was found not guilty.

Emile Labrie was indicted for keeping liquor for sale in Jaffrey, and as he had spent several months in jail, being unable to secure bail, previous to the term of court, the indictment was placed on file.

Anthony Betz pleaded guilty to keeping liquor for sale in Dublin, paid a fine of \$25.00 and costs of \$37.10 and received a sentence of two months in jail, which was suspended.

John Lee pleaded guilty to three indictments for selling and keeping for sale liquor in Fitzwilliam. On one indictment, he paid a fine of \$100.00 and costs of \$37.50 and received a jail sentence of sixty days, which was suspended. On the other two indictments, sentences of \$100.00 fine and sixty days in jail in each case were imposed, which were suspended. Mr. Lee is an old man and a veteran of the Civil war.

Waldo J. Wheeler was indicted for a subsequent offence for keeping liquor for sale in Richmond. By direction of the attorney general the case was placed on file upon payment of costs, Mr. Wheeler having leased his hotel.

John Roulland was indicted for keeping for sale and for selling liquor in Harrisville. In one case he paid a fine of \$25.00 and costs and received a sentence of sixty days in jail, which was suspended. The other case was continued.

Charles A. Sargent was indicted for keeping for sale and selling liquor in Rindge. As he was put in jail soon after the October term of court and was unable to secure bail, he received suspended sentences of sixty days in jail and \$100.00 fine and costs in each case.

Forrest S. Lowell was indicted for subsequent offence for keeping liquor for sale in Swanzy. By direction of the attorney general, the case was placed on file upon the payment of costs.

Philip Germaine pleaded guilty to keeping liquor for sale in Winchester, paid a fine of \$50.00 and costs of \$25.00 and received a sixty days' sentence in jail, which was suspended.

Francis W. O'Connor of Keene was indicted for cruelty to his crippled child. An arrangement was made whereby the child was committed to the home at Franklin and its control and custody taken entirely from Mr. O'Connor. As he was the father of a large family and its only means of support, the case was dismissed upon this arrangement being perfected.

Benjamin Mattherson and Walter O'Leary, the former under twenty-one years of age, were indicted for burglary



in Jaffrey. They pleaded guilty, and as it developed that at the time they were under the influence of liquor and the articles taken were of small value, and were restored, the court imposed a sentence of one year in jail, which was suspended, and ordered that they pay costs of \$60.00, which was done.

Oren W. Hopkins of Westmoreland pleaded guilty to counterfeiting, and was sentenced to spend six months in jail and pay costs of prosecution.

Delia Sharkey of Keene, pleaded guilty to concealing the death of a bastard child and Lucy Sharkey, her mother, and Fred Sharkey, her brother, to being accessory before the fact, and each received sentences of six months in the house of correction at Westmoreland, and was ordered to pay the costs of prosecution.

Euclid Croto pleaded guilty to keeping for sale and selling liquor in Troy, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs of \$45.00, which he did, and spend sixty days in jail, which was suspended during good behavior, in one case, and to pay a fine of \$50.00 and spend sixty days in jail in the other, all of which were suspended.

William Rogers was indicted in three cases for keeping for sale and selling liquor in Troy. He left the state before the indictment was procured and the cases were therefore continued.

Charles Crain of Surry was indicted for enticing away Florence Burroughs, a minor child. He had not been apprehended at this term, but subsequently the couple were married and the case was dismissed at the October, 1906, term.

Fred Frazier was tried by jury for keeping liquor for sale in Troy and was found not guilty.

Joel Frazier was tried by jury for keeping liquor for sale in Troy and was found guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and costs and spend sixty days in jail. He appealed to the supreme court, which failed to sustain his exceptions, and he is now boarding in the county jail.

Frank Howard was indicted for obtaining money under false pretenses from H. E. Messenger of Stoddard. As his whereabouts were unknown at the time, he had not been apprehended, and has not as yet been apprehended, and the case was therefore continued.

Arthur H. Chickering of Westmoreland attempted at the end of the April term of court to enter an appeal from the police court of Keene, which had found him guilty of assault. The entry was later made that the judgment of the police court be affirmed.

OCTOBER TERM, 1906.

Vaschi Czenovos was indicted for murder in Fitzwilliam, pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree and was sentenced to not less than thirty nor more than thirty-two years in state prison.

Benjamin F. Wheeler pleaded guilty to selling liquor in Keene and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and costs of prosecution and to spend sixty days in jail, all of which he has done. He was indicted also for keeping for sale, but the case was continued.

Abram Jolly pleaded guilty to burglary in Alstead and received a sentence of nine months in jail.

Archie Peters pleaded guilty to burglary in Keene of some fish of small value. He was therefore sentenced to three months in jail, and as he had been in jail for some time prior to October, the sentence was suspended during good behavior.

Fred M. Davis pleaded guilty to larceny of various articles from G. H. Tilden & Company of Keene and received a sentence of not less than three years nor more than five years in state prison.

Frank Pelky was indicted for keeping for sale and selling liquor in Jaffrey. In one case, he paid a fine of \$100 and costs of \$74.31 and spent sixty days in jail. In the other a fine of \$100 and costs of prosecution and a sentence of sixty days in jail were suspended.

Walter E. Ward was indicted for a subsequent offence in keeping liquor for sale in Winchester. As he was then

serving a sentence of sixty days upon a mittimus issued on account of an indictment found in October, 1905, the case was continued.

Frank Chapin pleaded guilty to giving liquor to a minor in Gilsum. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$200, spend thirty days in jail and pay costs of \$25. As there were extenuating circumstances, the fine and jail sentences were suspended and the costs paid.

Wallace Page pleaded guilty to an aggravated assault upon an officer in Swanzey and received a sentence of one year in jail and was ordered to pay costs of prosecution. The jail sentence was suspended, as Page has a large family dependent upon him for support and had already spent considerable time in jail.

Fred Beauregard of Keene was indicted for burglary and sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and spend six months in jail. As he was in jail some time, the articles taken were of small value and were taken when he was under the influence of liquor, the jail sentence was suspended.

There have been various other minor complaints prosecuted before the police courts and disposed of, among which are:

Leon E. Sebastian paid a fine of \$50.00 and costs for keeping liquor for sale in Swanzey.

Frank Moschette paid a fine of \$50.00 and costs of prosecution for keeping liquor for sale in Fitzwilliam.

W. E. Barrett paid a fine of \$25.00 and costs of prosecution for keeping liquor for sale in Winchester.

There are no other actions now pending, either civil or criminal, in which the county is a party, other than such as will be reported to the next grand jury in April.

Little progress seems to have been made in furnishing occupation to persons confined in jail. We have a piece of county road not very far from Keene and it seems to me it would be well to emulate the example of some other communities in making jail sentences as distasteful as possible to the prisoners, by compelling such prisoners, if

other occupation cannot be furnished them, to break the rock necessary for macadamizing this road. Certainly, some effort should be made in the direction of giving employment to the prisoners.

In connection with the prosecution of liquor offences, I wish to call to the attention of the commissioners, and through the commissioners the attention of the people at large, to a somewhat lax disposition on the part of people who pretend to be interested in liquor prosecutions in rendering assistance to the officers. Many of those who pose as favorable to the enforcement of both our prohibitory and license laws are more successful obstructionists in the enforcement of such laws than are many of the men who are engaged in the illegal traffic in liquor. Particularly do these remarks apply to those men in various towns who have not sufficient courage to be known in connection with liquor prosecutions and yet insist upon making anonymous, or what they term "confidential" communications to the solicitor, with the request that their connection with the matter be entirely concealed. It seems to me that the efforts of organizations favoring the enforcement of these laws cannot be better expended than in creating a better moral tone among this class of people.

In this connection also, I wish to call attention to the fact that many towns have chosen prosecuting agents who are decidedly unfavorable to the enforcement of the liquor traffic, even though such towns have voted not to permit the traffic in intoxicating liquor within their limits; one town going so far as to choose as prosecuting agent a man who had just been released from jail, where he was confined for having violated the very laws he was appointed to enforce. The voters in towns who vote for no-license should not feel that their duty ends when they have deposited their ballots, but should see that proper officials are chosen who will aid in the prosecution of offences against the liquor laws. Until this is done, efficient enforcement of these laws is a mere possibility.

ORVILLE E. CAIN.

January 1, 1907.



## AUDITOR'S REPORT.

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We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the county treasurer, superintendent of county farm and county commissioners for the year ending Dec. 31, 1906, and find the same correct with proper vouchers on file.

The purchases seem to have been made at market values and the expenditures made in the interest and for the benefit of the county.

HERBERT B. VIALL,  
ARTHUR J. HOLDEN,

Auditors.

Keene, N. H., January 12, 1907.

## RECOMMENDATIONS.

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The undersigned, commissioners for said county, respectfully recommend that the county convention appropriate for the year 1907, the sum of forty thousand (\$40,000) dollars, and a like sum for the year 1908, for the following objects and purposes:

Court expenses,	\$6,000 00
County officers' salaries,	2,000 00
Printing,	200 00
Miscellaneous,	800 00
Indexing records, register's office,	1,250 00
Court house expenses,	750 00
County farm and almshouse,	13,000 00
Outside poor,	11,000 00
New Hampshire state hospital and industrial school,	1,000 00
Jail and house of correction,	2,500 00
Dependent soldiers and families,	1,500 00
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	\$40,000 00

And that the sum of forty thousand (\$40,000) dollars be raised by taxation in each of the years as above stated.

Respectfully submitted,  
 DANIEL R. COLE,  
 FRANK E. NESMITH,  
 HOSEA W. BRIGHAM,  
 Commissioners.





